

by K.A. Turner
Go ahead. Give it to them.
THEY DESERVE IT!
The Shelby County High School Wildcats and the Coosa Valley Academy Rebels have taken the Shelby County Reporter's team honors in public and private school divisions for the 1984 season.

Monday, the Reporter named Ricky Seale's Wildcats as "Shelby County Team of the Year."

Bruce Breland's Rebels took the Shelby County Reporter's Private School Championship.

In naming SCHS as Team of the Year, the Reporter editorial staff took into consideration the

**SCHS
CVA**

fact that the Wildcats beat all five of their county opponents on the way to a perfect 10-0 regular season finish.

They continued their winning ways through two playoff games before dropping a heart-breaker in the quarterfinal round — a loss that came at the last second of the game. Nonetheless, with an admirable 12-1 record, SCHS won more games this year than any

Top teams cop honors

other county squad.

The Rebs are Private School Champions by virtue of their win over Shelby Academy in the final game of the regular season for both schools. Coosa Valley did not stop there, however, going on to win the 2A Alabama Private School Association state championship.

At the close of each season the trophies will be moved to (or remain at) the home of the annual

Team of the Year/County Champion. Those teams will then try to defend that honor during the next grid season.

The Private School Champion will be the winner of the Shelby Academy-CVA game; Team of the Year will be based on overall showing.

Any team winning one of the top awards for three consecutive years wins the honor of retiring

the trophy, and giving it a permanent resting place in its school's show case.

Should no one win the trophy three consecutive times in seven years, the team in each division that has won the title the greatest number of times will keep the trophy and a new seven-year period will begin.

Selection of the trophy winner this season was difficult, as

several county teams turned in outstanding performances.

Five county squads made post-season playoff appearances, with Montevallo joining Shelby County in advancing to the quarter-final round. The Thompson Warriors and the Calera Eagles also saw playoff action in their respective classifications, Thompson by virtue of their area championship.

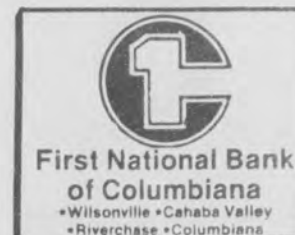
Although they did not make a playoff appearance, the Chelsea Hornets welcomed Richard Conkle back to the head coaching spot by turning around a previously troubled program and recording an outstanding 7-3 year.



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Administrator resigns from hospital

by David F. Moore

On Jan. 8, 1985, Shelby Medical Center Administrator Norman Price will turn 32. He will not celebrate his birthday at SMC.

On Dec. 3, 1984, Price — who has been administrator less than one year — announced his resignation.

He is leaving SMC on Jan. 2 to take over as president and chief executive officer at the county/city owned regional medical center in McCombs, MS.

Price said the SMC board of directors did not pressure him into leaving, and had given him support "from day one."

"My decision was based on what was best for my family, and me personally," Price said. "This is a tremendous opportunity."

Price, a native of Sylacauga who holds a masters degree in public administration, came to SMC in 1982 as corporate planner.

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School Projects

THS New School
Riverchase Middle . New classrooms for band, choral and art depts.
SCHS New bandroom
Pelham High New bandroom
Vincent High & Middle... AC lunchroom
Renovate classrooms & auditorium
Inverness Elem..... Move classrooms
Helena Elem..... Activity center, Lunchroom, Classrooms, Office Space
Thompson Middle Add classrooms for regular & special ed, AC living room
Calera Elem. Activity center, and AC lunchroom
Elvin Hill Elem. Activity center
Valley Elem. Activity center
Calera High AC lunchroom
Columbiana Middle AC lunchroom
Vincent Elem. AC lunchroom
Chelsea.... Renovate for Activity center

School construction Board approves architects, advisor

by Bert Seaman

With an anticipated \$9 million bond issue in the offing, the Shelby County Board of Education has approved architects for construction projects at 17 public schools, including the design of the new Thompson High School.

School officials hope to award construction contracts by the end of the school year.

When finalized, the bond issue will be the largest single financial deal the board has ever undertaken. In light of that, Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox last week convinced board members that it would be a wise investment to secure the services of a financial advisor.

A bond advisor could help the board get a bond rating which would be needed to sell bonds in other parts of the country, Glasscox said at the Tuesday night board meeting.

Such a rating would ensure the best market, and a more favorable interest rate — all of which Glasscox estimated could save the board as much as \$350,000 in interest payments.

The advisor's fee will depend on the size of the bond issue, and it could be anywhere from \$5,000 to \$14,000, Glasscox said.

Although the board's bond attorneys will still be used in their area of expertise, Glasscox said that someone was needed who works daily in the bond market.

"Timing and options are all important," he said.

The board — which hopes to float a \$3 million bond issue next spring and a \$6 million bond issue when revenue comes in from the 3 mill tax voters approved this fall — gave Glasscox the authority to hire an advisor.

The board approved four architectural firms to do preliminary work on the first phase of the construction projects slated for county schools.

The Columbiana firm of Thurston Sumners will work on indoor activity areas at Calera Elementary, Elvin Hill and Valley and the renovation of space at Chelsea for an indoor activity area; band

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News briefs

Food available

Cheese distribution will be held Dec. 12. Guidelines for eligibility remain the same.

Assigned sites for distribution are:

- Community Services Building for Columbiana, Wilsonville, Chelsea, Shelby and nearby areas.
- Calera Fire Station for Calera, Montevallo, Aldrich, Wilton, Pea Ridge and nearby areas.
- Camp Branch Community Civic Center for Alabaster, Pelham, Siluria, Saginaw and nearby areas.
- Vincent National Guard Armory for Vincent, Harpersville, Sterrett, Calcis and nearby areas.

Cheese distribution will take place one day only.

Liquor license sought

A liquor license for Milford's Bar and Lounge will be considered at the Dec. 10 Shelby County Commission meeting.

The lounge is located about one mile south of Montevallo. Application is being made by Joe Milford Cardwell and Linda Louise Cardwell.

Give blood

A Community Blood Drive is being held from noon until 6 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 13 at the First United Methodist Church of Columbiana.

The drive is sponsored by the Shelby County High School Leo Club and the Columbiana Kiwanis Club, and members are asking that everyone please come and give blood.

For more information call Shelby County High School: 669-6911.

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Weather

Cold and cloudy is the outlook given by the National Weather Service. Highs through Thursday will be in the upper 40's, lows in the 30's. Friday and Saturday the temperature drops with highs in the 40's and lows in the 20's. There is a chance for some kind of precipitation Saturday and Sunday.

Calera budgets \$750,000

by K.A. Turner

The Calera City Council adopted three proposed budgets in their regular meeting Monday, giving the city, the sewer system, and the gas department spending guidelines to live by.

The city's general fund budget totals \$753,900 for 1984-85 — a 9.8 percent increase over last year's budget of \$737,539.

Although the city audit is not officially complete, Calera looks to finish the last fiscal year slightly under budget.

The city gains its largest projected incomes from business licenses, natural gas contributions, and ad valorem taxes.

The biggest spending comes in salaries for city workers throughout several departments. Calera employees received a three

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Pelham to pull out of unannexed area

Over two years ago, residents living on County 35 just north of the present city limits asked about being annexed into Pelham.

The residents never followed up on that request Mayor Bobby Hayes told the city council Monday, but the city has been providing them with police and fire protection.

So the council voted to discontinue services to those residents who live near Hunter's Glen, effective Jan. 7.

Hayes said that the city complied with the request for annexation by advertising for an election so the people involved could vote.



Say 'cheese'

State Senator Frank "Butch" Ellis procured \$2,000 from the governor's discretionary funds to buy books for the proposed North Shelby County Library. He presented the check Nov. 28 to library board chairman Mrs. Mildred Harrison of Columbiana, (center) and board member Katie Arnold of Inverness, one of the organizers for the emerging

Friends of North Shelby Library. County library director Nancy Woosley (foreground) recorded the occasion with the library system's 35 mm Cannon camera, purchased this fall with \$300 which Ellis also got from Montgomery. (photo by David F. Moore)

Students up scores on state exit exams

by Bert Seaman

Test scores are in for Shelby County students taking the high school exit exam for the first time — and the news is good.

Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox told board of education members last week that county students' scores have improved in all three areas covered in the test.

"I felt like jumping up and down when I saw the improvement over last year," said Glasscox.

In 1983, Alabama's high school juniors were the first students required to pass the

exit exam before they could graduate.

•Reporting on the students taking the exam for the first time, Glasscox said:

•In reading, 99 percent of the students passed, as compared to 98 percent last year.

•In mathematics, 94 percent of the students passed the exam, up from 90 percent last year.

•In language, 93 percent of the students passed this year, compared to last year's 87 percent.

Glasscox said that in 1983 students at all but one school fell

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Graduation changed

by Bert Seaman

The tradition of Thursday night graduation will continue in Shelby County schools this year.

The initial date set on the school calendar fell on Wednesday, May 29, which school officials said was an oversight in regards to church prayer services.

Hoping to reach a compromise, Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox suggested that church services be held earlier that evening, and that schools schedule graduation around 8 p.m.

But after discussing the subject and listening to comments from the audience at last Tuesday's board of education meeting, the board voted 3-1 to change graduation to Thursday.

The lone dissenter on the board was Paul Sumners. After telling the board that he was a regular attender of Wednesday night prayer meeting, Sumners said he did not think the Lord would be upset if someone missed once in seven years.

Wayne Sumners, who represents the teachers in the county, said the change was unfair because now teachers would have to get ready for graduation and take inventory the same day.

The board voted twice on the matter after Thompson trustee Hershel Hale pointed out that the first vote taken was an amendment to the motion and not on the motion itself.

With board member Dr. Bill Fancher absent and Sumners in opposition to the change, board president Barbara Whitman cast her vote to make it a majority vote.

After the second vote, Whitman said that the move to change graduation to the day following the closing of school "will give us an opportunity to see how much graduation really means to them."

During the discussions, Glasscox had proposed keeping the date the same because students usually head for Florida as soon as school is out, which is on Wednesday, now the day before graduation.



Morris sworn in

Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox presents new board member Donna Morris with the Code of Alabama and the county's code of conduct manual. Morris was sworn into office at last week's board meeting. (photo by Bert Seaman)

Wreck on 280 kills woman

A Wilsonville woman was killed last Tuesday when her car went over a dropoff on US 280 last Tuesday.

Motorists reported that Annie Gerdys Goode slumped to the right before the car left the road.

But Shelby County Coroner Billy Thompson said that head and chest injuries were the cause of death.

Goode, 76, was driving toward Birmingham when the accident occurred at 10:05 a.m. close to the intersection of County 43.

Correction

The story in last week's Reporter on the protest of liquor licenses in the Shelby community contained incorrect information concerning Gregg Rushton.

Rushton was never listed on a liquor license application filed initially in 1981 by MacArthur Rhinehart and James Bishop.

Rushton also never actually went before the county commission in support of the license but he said he did, in 1981, ask commissioner Jake Morris to bring the application up for a vote.

The application was not voted on until the Oct. 22, 1984 commission meeting, when Morris brought it up and it was voted down. No reason was given for the denial, and Rhinehart later filed suit against the commission seeking to have the decision overturned.

The Reporter is glad to set the record straight.

Calera

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percent raise as a part of the 84-85 budget package.

The gas department budget for 84-85 totals \$2,431,701, which is an 8.4 percent increase over the \$2,048,011 budget of the year just past.

The city's sewer system budget decreased this year from \$150,259 for the 83-84 year to \$118,702.

Schools

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rooms at Shelby County High Schools and Pelham.

Sumners was also awarded the work at Vincent Middle and High School where classrooms and the auditorium are to be renovated and at Inverness where additional classrooms will be added.

The Montgomery firm of Chambliss-Killingsworth will do the plans at Helena for an indoor activity center, lunchroom, and additional classroom and office space; additional classrooms both for regular classes and special education at Thompson Middle School.

Chambliss-Killingsworth will also handle plans for the air conditioning of seven county lunchrooms: Calera High and Elementary, Thompson Middle, Columbiana Middle, Vincent High and Vincent Elementary.

Projects at Riverchase were awarded to the Birmingham firm of Renneker-Tichansky and Associates. The projects are for classrooms, and rooms for band, choral work and art.

Dampier and Harris from Alabaster will be the architects for the new Thompson High School which will be built on 40 acres of land the board has purchased on County 264.

Beyond projects made possible by the new tax, the board also awarded two contracts to Cato Construction Company for projects at Vincent High and Vincent Middle, and for work at the area vocational center.

The company bid \$14,267 to renovate the

heating system at the Vicent schools and \$12,871 to repair the fire alarm system at the vocational center.

Too, Glasscox was given administrative authority to award the bid for reroofing a major portion of Shelby County High School and for putting in a new phone system at the central office.

Bids for both projects will be opened Dec. 4. The superintendent said that \$80,000 had been budgeted for roof repairs at county schools, but he expected that the entire amount would be needed for the SCHS project.

"It's past patching," Glasscox said, adding that the roofing should have been done three or four years ago.

On the subject of phones, the superintendent said that the present system is inadequate to handle all the calls to and from the board office.

Estimating that purchasing a system will cost in the neighborhood of \$18,000, Glasscox said that amount could be paid back in three or four years resulting in a reduction of costs.

Since the commission pays a portion of the board's phone bill, Glasscox said it has allocated \$10,000 for an updated system.

Glasscox reported that he used previously granted administrative authority to purchase eight driver education cars from the state motor pool at a cost of \$22,000.

He said that it has been difficult to find a dealer in recent years to supply cars to the schools.

Ed board declines taking a raise in pay

Barbara Whitman has been re-elected as president of the Shelby County Board of Education for the 1984-85 school year.

Dr. Bill Fancher was again elected as vice-president of the board. The election of officers was held during Thursday's school board meeting.

At the board's request, Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox said the salary of the five-member group will remain the same - \$7.50 per meeting.

Glasscox said he had planned to recommend paying board members \$300 a month, which is the maximum payment allowed by law.

Giving the board's reason for declining the raise, Whitman said "We consider this a community service and we're pleased and

proud to serve."

When a vote was called for to reimburse teachers for two unused personal leave days, the board gave unanimous consent. Glasscox said that the state mandates this action to encourage teachers not to use those days.

Of the five leave days teachers are allowed, two are technically funded by the state.

However, in answer to a question from board member Donna Morris, Glasscox said that a large portion of that money actually comes from the county board.

In order to discourage teachers from taking time off, Glasscox said that the pay for substitutes - who are paid by the teachers they fill in for - has been set at \$28.50 for those with certification, and \$20.50 for a non-certified substitute.

Pelham

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The mayor said that there was no record in the minutes of their annexation which took place in July.

Unanimous consent was given to have 10 yes and no opposed votes recorded in the minutes.

In regard to getting Deer Springs residents on the Pelham Water System, Hayes said that the city is still negotiating with

Alabaster to buy the line which now serves the area.

He said that Alabaster has come off its \$200,000 asking price, but as yet had not given another definite figure.

"One month from now I hope to have something to report," the mayor said.

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CVA gets big refund

by Bert Seaman

For three or four years school officials at Coosa Valley Academy have questioned the Vincent Gas Board officials about what they considered to be high gas bills. Now they have apparently convinced the gas board that an error has been made.

Last week, the gas board refunded CVA \$56,000 in overpayment costs. That covers the nine years for which there are records.

Some people in Vincent do not believe the refund was correct. One resident, who said he did not believe there could have been that much of an error in the bills, thought that an expert should have been called in to study the situation.

Councilman Wayne Lowe said that he thought more time should have been taken to assess the situation.

"If it's been going on for nine years, what difference would a few more months have made?" Lowe asked.

After several meetings to discuss the situation, which came up in August, the city council verbally expressed opposition to the gas board's intention to pay that much refund to the private school.

However, city attorney Sonny Conwill said the records show the refund should have been even higher.

"That was a compromise figure," Conwill said. He explained that the gas board wanted to rectify their error once it was discovered, and CVA was willing to accept the amount offered.

Even though the check was paid Nov. 27, the council has decided to closely monitor the situation.

Council member Wallace Denty has been asked to provide the council with monthly reports on CVA's bills to compare them with the amount paid last year.

One Vincent resident, who asked not to be identified, disagreed with the gas board's action.

He said that the school has 18 wall hung heaters that produce 60,000 BTU's of heat. "They're going to burn a lot of gas," he said, "especially with students opening and closing doors to the hall and letting the hot air out."

Mayor Nolen Clinkscales said that it has been determined that the problem at CVA was a misinterpretation of the meter reading and in computing the bill.

He explained that the meter at CVA was an industrial meter — the only one of that type in the city. It has now been replaced.

The problem in the reading apparently occurred because of an extra needle on the meter. Instead of being charged for ten cubic feet, the school was being charged for 100 cubic feet.

Charles Turner, a gas engineer who does work for the city, discovered what the problem was,

Clinkscales said.

In order to determine the amount of repayment, Clinkscales said that gas board auditor John DeLoach went through existing records which go back nine years.

His figure for the repayments came to \$62,705, Clinkscales said.

Some council members felt that an outside audit should have been done as well, so there would have been no question about the refund.

However, the gas board said that was unnecessary, and that the additional audit would cost \$6,000-\$7,000.

Still, some Vincent residents felt that an outside opinion on the CVA meter and refund would have been in order because most of the individuals who worked on the issue are connected with the private school.

Both DeLoach and Conwill have connections with CVA, as well as two of the three remaining gas board members.

In October, the five-member board was reduced to three members. The two members who are no longer on the board have no connections with CVA.

Clinkscales explained that the terms of the two members was up and that the board had decided to go back to a three member board which it had been originally.

"It's just easier for three people to get together," Clinkscales said.

Lowe said there was no question of intentional wrongdoing on the part of the gas board or the mayor.

He said that Clinkscales was a fine, upstanding Christian and that all of his actions were aboveboard.

However, Lowe said that he thought it was unfair for the gas board to give their profits to one customer.

It was his understanding, Lowe said, that under the statute of limitations, the gas board was only required to refund CVA for three years if they had overpaid.

Conwill said that that question was never raised during discussions of the issue.

Although the \$56,000 payment put a dent in the approximately \$180,000 the board had set aside for operating expenses, Clinkscales said it would not pose a problem in paying off the system.

He said there will be sufficient funds coming in to finish paying for the system in the next four years.

Vincent's gas system was installed in the early 1950's, the mayor said.



Soil survey published

Soil and Water Conservation District chairman Lawrence Garrett greets 7th District U.S. Representative Richard Shelby at the publication dedication of the 1984 Shelby County Soil Survey. Among the others attending the affair were (from

left) district conservationist Robert Kelley, district supervisors Rex Perry, Wayne Archer, John Cates, Jim Braden, executive SWCC secretary James Plaster and state senator Frank "Butch" Ellis. (photo by David F. Moore)

New soil survey out

by David F. Moore

It was 1907 when the last Shelby County Soil Survey was published. However, that officially changed Nov. 28, with the dedication of the 1984 survey.

"This soil survey will help a lot of people," Congressman Richard Shelby told the crowd of some 45 people attending the dedication held at the State 4-H center on Lay Lake. "It cost a lot of money, but it's going to save a

lot money and headaches."

Noting that the survey will prove useful to both farmers and developers, Shelby called the survey a milestone for Shelby County and said that similar publications are needed in all 67 Alabama counties.

The survey is designed as a land-planning tool and can be used to predict soil behavior, plan for conservation, and determine potential for best use. The

130-page document contains some 17 maps of the county.

Agencies involved in publishing the survey are: Alabama Agricultural Experiment Station, Alabama Soil and Water Conservation Committee, Alabama Cooperative Extension Service and the Soil Conservation Service.

Robert Kelley of the Shelby County SWC district said that the survey was initiated in 1974 because of the growth in the area. He said that field work took some six years, and writing, verification and publication took four years more.

Kelley said that 6,000 copies of the survey were printed, and are available to the public. For more information: 669-7136.

Smith is chairman of SMC board

by David F. Moore

Shelby Medical Center's board of directors elected member Calvin Smith of Vincent as its chairman for the year. Smith, elected at the regular Nov. 27 meeting, will take over the duties of Jerome Turner at the Dec. 18 meeting.

Also elected were: vice chairman Doug Ballard, treasurer Reid Long, and secretary Laura Willis.

Each won by an 8-6 vote over,

respectively, Tom Lloyd, Joe Arledge, Lou Workman and Eloise Underwood.

The finance committee was appointed to study possible changes in short and medium term investments. Also, board member Pete Raughley complimented the administration and staff on turning a "nice profit" during October.

After the meeting, chairman Jerome Turner said that investment details and the definition of

"nice profit" are privileged information.

Board member H.A. "Doc" Rubin introduced and had passed a resolution saying that SMC was not for sale, and would not ever be sold without a positive vote of the people.

Ballard voiced the only opposition to the resolution, saying that while he did not now favor selling SMC, he could not say that situations in the future would also dictate such a stand.

Price

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He became interim administrator in Dec. 1983 when R. Roland Bradford resigned the position. Ten weeks later, in Feb. 1984, the hospital board named Price administrator.

He was involved in Shelby Health Services, which in September was granted a controversial, 15-30 year management contract with SMC for the given purposes of diversifying the hospital to better compete during a time of extreme changes

throughout the industry, and for blocking its proposed sale at that time.

Formation of the foundation led to the Shelby County Commission filling five additional board positions, and under the new setup the foundation was voted down in October.

At last week's monthly hospital board meeting, board member Pete Raughley said that Price and his staff were to be complimented for turning a pro-

fit during tough times within the industry.

"I hate to see him go," said board chairman Jerome Turner. "He's made a good one (administrator)."

Calvin Smith, who takes office Dec. 18 as the new chairman (See related story), said that "it will be a big order to find an outstanding replacement for Price."

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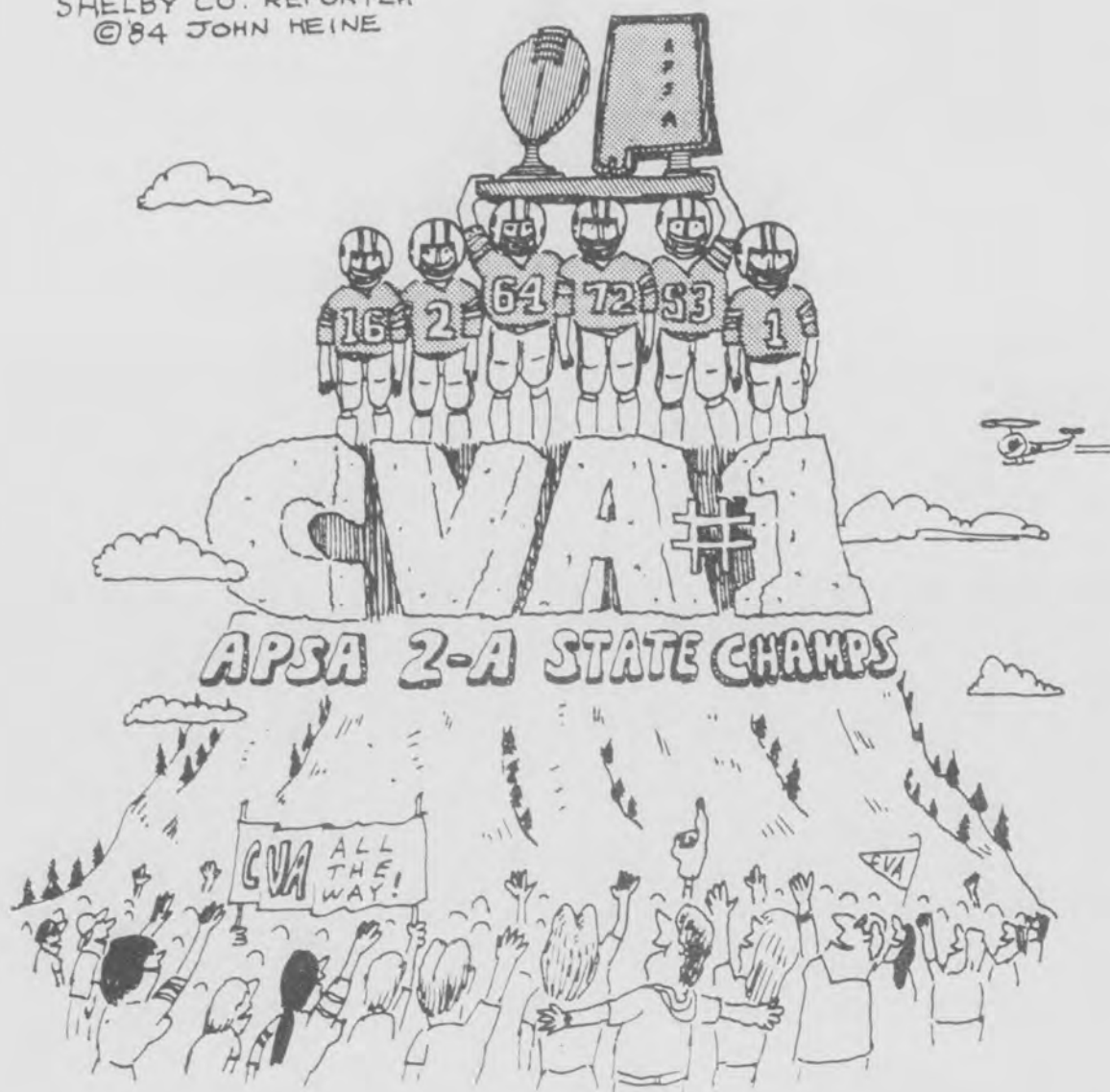
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Place the candied pickle strip across the width of one end of the ham and cheese concoction and roll it into a tight log. Stick a tooth pick in the center of the log to keep it from unrolling and place it in the refrigerator. Let chill.

Have another cup of coffee and make another log.

When ready to serve, slice each log into coin-sized pieces and have a Merry Christmas.

Alabama Scene

by Bob Ingram



If you drive Alabama's highways, and who doesn't, you shouldn't have been surprised at the report released a few days ago by the National Research Council. It noted that Alabama motorists drive faster than any of their counterparts in the Southeast.

The study was made to determine what percentage of the nation's drivers obey the 55 mile-per-hour speed limit. Nationally, some 54.1 percent of the drivers violate the law, but in Alabama 57.9 percent drive faster than 55.

While the council recommended that the 55-limit should continue to be the law because it saves lives and fuel, at least one Alabama official partially disagreed. Maj. N.W. McHenry, chief of the Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety, said he felt higher speed limits should be allowed on interstate highways.

"There's room for an increase in the speed limit on the interstates... those roads are designed for higher speeds," he said. However, he said on non-interstate highways and roads the limit should remain at 55.

Those in the know in Washington say there is no likelihood of any change in the present law. Whether you obey it or not, 55 miles-per-hour will remain the limit.

Odds and Ends - Dr. Hanly Funderburk's appointment as president of Eastern Kentucky University came despite the efforts of a few who sought to block his hiring. The harshest attack on the former Auburn president came from that university's student newspaper, the Plainsman.

It published an editorial saying that it was "absurd" that EKV would consider Funder-

burk for the presidency, adding that he had proved while at Auburn he was "totally incapable of running a university." Dr. Funderburk was hired nonetheless, which says something about the power of the collegiate press...

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The defendant had been given a six-month jail sentence and a \$1,000 fine for the offense (which he admitted committing) but a circuit judge jury overturned the decision and acquitted him. In defending the actions of his client, his attorney quoted from a column written by Lewis Grizzard, which said in part: "If a woman wears tight jeans... then she ought to be expecting to be tapped on the fanny." For the record there were three women on the jury that acquitted the defendant...

Everyone who should know insists Gov. Wallace's urinary tract infection last week was minor and was no cause for concern. It was the same type of infection which hospitalized Wallace for some 16 days several months ago. His aides and his doctor say the flare-up last week was much less severe.

Pelham mobile homes

Law changes sought

by Bert Seaman

Under a present Pelham zoning ordinance, anyone can set up a trailer in areas zoned commercial and open a business.

But that section of the ordinance and several others will be amended if the council votes for the changes requested by police chief Allen Wade.

The vote will be taken at the next meeting.

Wade said that complaints from the public had prompted him to ask for the changes.

He is asking that a time limit of one year be placed mobile homes used as offices. If passed, businesses presently using mobile homes for office space will be given a year to comply with the ruling.

If the business does not comply, the city will have the authority to remove its business license.

However, the council may authorize the placement of mobile home offices in designated industrial parks for an indefinite period.

The ordinance does not apply to the portable classrooms used at public schools.

A nother proposed change in law will limit recreation type vehicles parked at residences to three years.

Although the ordinance

already limits trucks over two and half ton from being parked at residences, the ordinance defines all combinations of these type vehicle so that there can be no question.

Wade said that ordinance changes will also give the police enforcement power if a citizen, the city building inspector, or the fire marshal make a written complaint.

The subject of trucks came up again at Monday's meeting when Lee St. resident Levi Perry complained about them in his neighborhood.

He said that there was a "no trucks" sign on the street but that trucks from a neabyby industry used it nonetheless.

Perry also contended that the area was zoned residential. All city maps show it to be commercial, Hayes said.

The mayor also explained that state law says that an industry may use a residential street to reach the closest county or state road.

But Hayes did say the business would be required to make certain changes within 30 days.

Perry also wanted to know about an emergency road that had been requested several years ago. Perry said that he and his neighbors had gotten up a peti-

tion for the road.

They were concerned, he said, that emergency vehicles could not reach homes on the street if a train should be on the tracks.

The road would go under the 31 bypass with vehicles fording a shallow creek.

Hayes said he believed owners of the property would dedicate it to the city, and once that is done, he said the city would be willing to build a gravel type access road.

In other matters:

Wade introduced new police officers Bill Gray, Brian Clark and Scott Bottcher.

Fire chief Gary Waters introduced a new fireman, Jim Murdock.

The city has also employed Robin Cabot as librarian. Cabot, who has a master's degree in library science, comes from New Iberia, La.



What's up?

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Aldrich man arrested

in Brierfield shooting

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A Shelby County man has been arrested for murder in the Nov. 18, 1984 shooting death of Brierfield resident Bill Burt.

The murder suspect, David Hedgepath, 25, of Aldrich, has been released on \$20,000 bond.

Burt, who was a Bibb County farmer, was shot once in the back as he sat in his parked car on the side of Cahaba Valley Church Road less than a mile from his home.

Burt's son, Billy, Jr., who was in a nearby car, was arrested Nov. 23 for attempted murder and released on \$5,000 bond. The younger Burt reportedly fired several shots at a vehicle that sped away from the shooting scene.

The occupant of the vehicle was apparently 41-year-old Jerry Killingsworth from Chilton County.

Killingsworth was found wounded and staggering along the street near Montevallo City Hall around midnight. He is still in Shelby Medical Center and no charges have been filed against

him as yet.

Bibb County Sheriff Glenn Smitherman, who declined to discuss the case Monday, would not say what information led to the Hedgepath's arrest on Nov. 21, nor if it was Burt or Burt's son who fired the shots that wounded Killingsworth.

The elder Burt reportedly died holding a pistol which had been fired three times.

Smitherman earlier told the Reporter that he thought the fatal shot had been fired from a .3006 rifle, but Monday he would not say whether or not that weapon has been found.

On Nov. 23, Charles E. "Curly" Moreland and John Hardy Moreland, both of Brierfield, were charged with hindering prosecution — charges on which the sheriff would not elaborate.

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No motive has been given for the shooting, but the sheriff earlier reported that on the night Burt was killed, he had been very upset over finding his dog shot.

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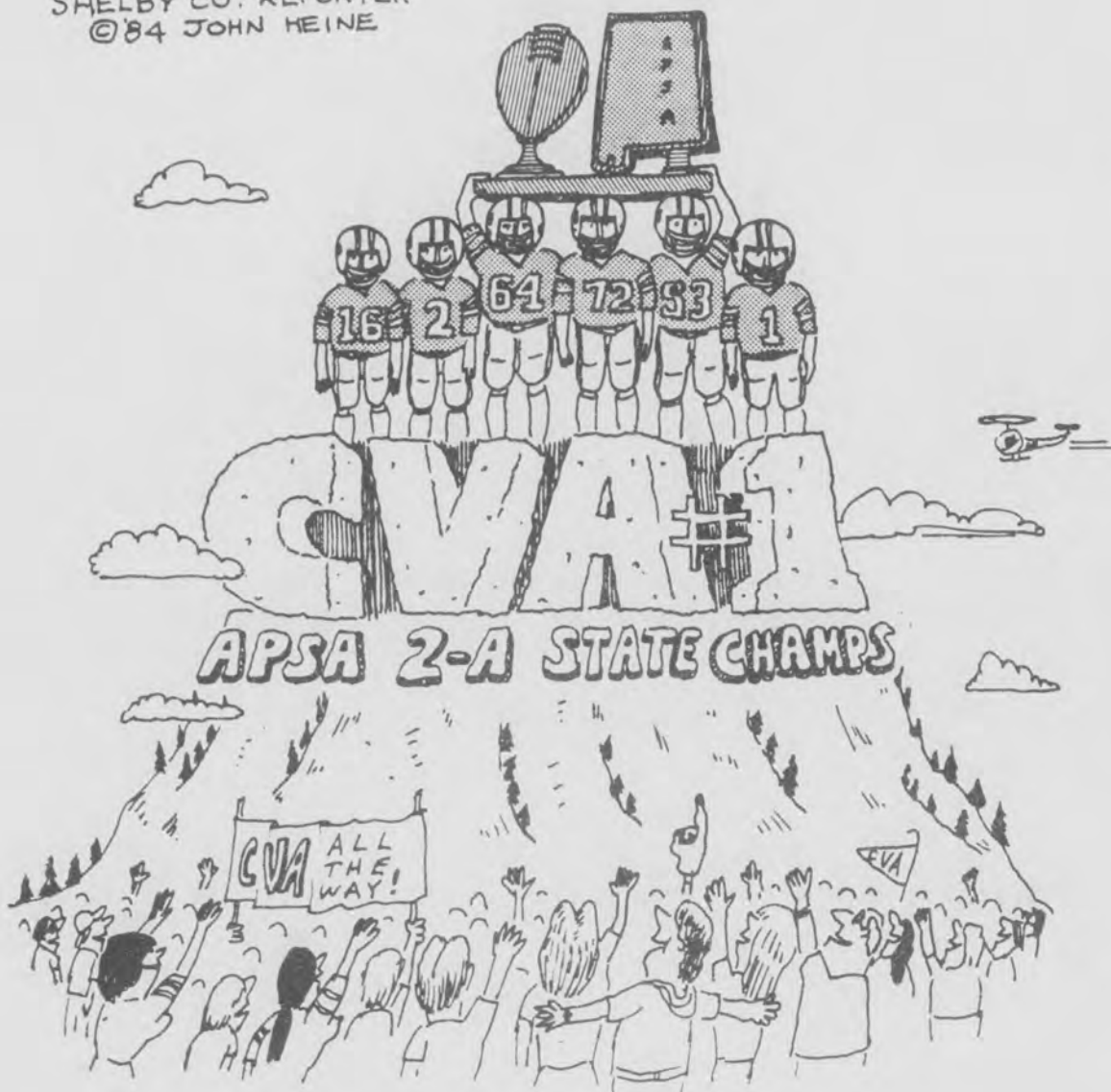
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Cut the creamed cheese block into three or four equal parts (depending on how thick you want it) and spread one part on top of the Swiss, covering totally. Lick your fingers.

Place the candied pickle strip across the width of one end of the ham and cheese concoction and roll it into a tight log. Stick a tooth pick in the center of the log to keep it from unrolling and place it in the refrigerator. Let chill.

Have another cup of coffee and make another log.

When ready to serve, slice each log into coin-sized pieces and have a Merry Christmas.

Alabama Scene

by Bob Ingram



If you drive Alabama's highways, and who doesn't, you shouldn't have been surprised at the report released a few days ago by the National Research Council. It noted that Alabama motorists drive faster than any of their counterparts in the Southeast.

The study was made to determine what percentage of the nation's drivers obey the 55 mile-per-hour speed limit. Nationally, some 54.1 percent of the drivers violate the law, but in Alabama 57.9 percent drive faster than 55.

While the council recommended that the 55-limit should continue to be the law because it saves lives and fuel, at least one Alabama official partially disagreed. Maj. N.W. McHenry, chief of the Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety, said he felt higher speed limits should be allowed on interstate highways.

"There's room for an increase in the speed limit on the interstates... those roads are designed for higher speeds," he said. However, he said on non-interstate highways and roads the limit should remain at 55.

Those in the know in Washington say there is no likelihood of any change in the present law. Whether you obey it or not, 55 miles-per-hour will remain the limit.

Odds and Ends - Dr. Hanly Funderburk's appointment as president of Eastern Kentucky University came despite the efforts of a few who sought to block his hiring. The harshest attack on the former Auburn president came from that university's student newspaper, the Plainsman.

It published an editorial saying that it was "absurd" that EKV would consider Funder-

burk for the presidency, adding that he had proved while at Auburn he was "totally incapable of running a university." Dr. Funderburk was hired nonetheless, which says something about the power of the collegiate press...

It had to be an especially satisfying occasion last week when U.S. Circuit Judge Frank M. Johnson Jr. of Montgomery was presented the very prestigious Devit Award for distinguished service to justice. More than 300 people gathered for the occasion and gave Johnson a rousing ovation. Fifteen or twenty years ago you couldn't have gotten a dozen people in Montgomery, even at gun point, to attend a dinner honoring Johnson...

It was hardly a landmark decision, but a Tarrant man has been acquitted on a charge of improperly patting a portion of a woman's anatomy who was wearing tight jeans.

The defendant had been given a six-month jail sentence and a \$1,000 fine for the offense (which he admitted committing) but a circuit judge jury overturned the decision and acquitted him. In defending the actions of his client, his attorney quoted from a column written by Lewis Grizzard, which said in part: "If a woman wears tight jeans... then she ought to be expecting to be tapped on the fanny." For the record there were three women on the jury that acquitted the defendant...

Everyone who should know insists Gov. Wallace's urinary tract infection last week was minor and was no cause for concern. It was the same type of infection which hospitalized Wallace for some 16 days several months ago. His aides and his doctor say the flare-up last week was much less severe.

Pelham mobile homes

Law changes sought

by Bert Seaman

Under a present Pelham zoning ordinance, anyone can set up a trailer in areas zoned commercial and open a business.

But that section of the ordinance and several others will be amended if the council votes for the changes requested by police chief Allen Wade.

The vote will be taken at the next meeting.

Wade said that complaints from the public had prompted him to ask for the changes.

He is asking that a time limit of one year be placed mobile homes used as offices. If passed, businesses presently using mobile homes for office space will be given a year to comply with the ruling.

If the business does not comply, the city will have the authority to remove its business license.

However, the council may authorize the placement of mobile home offices in designated industrial parks for an indefinite period.

The ordinance does not apply to the portable classrooms used at public schools.

A nother proposed change in law will limit recreation type vehicles parked at residences to three years.

Although the ordinance

already limits trucks over two and half ton from being parked at residences, the ordinance defines all combinations of these type vehicle so that there can be no question.

Wade said that ordinance changes will also give the police enforcement power if a citizen, the city building inspector, or the fire marshal make a written complaint.

The subject of trucks came up again at Monday's meeting when Lee St. resident Levi Perry complained about them in his neighborhood.

He said that there was a "no trucks" sign on the street but that trucks from a neayby industry used it nonetheless.

Perry also contended that the area was zoned residential. All city maps show it to be commercial, Hayes said.

The mayor also explained that state law says that an industry may use a residential street to reach the closest county or state road.

But Hayes did say the business would be required to make certain changes within 30 days.

Perry also wanted to know about an emergency road that had been requested several years ago. Perry said that he and his neighbors had gotten up a peti-

tion for the road.

They were concerned, he said, that emergency vehicles could not reach homes on the street if a train should be on the tracks.

The road would go under the 31 bypass with vehicles fording a shallow creek.

Hayes said he believed owners of the property would dedicate it to the city, and once that is done, he said the city would be willing to build a gravel type access road.

In other matters:

Wade introduced new police officers Bill Gray, Brian Clark and Scott Bottcher.

Fire chief Gary Waters introduced a new fireman, Jim Murdock.

The city has also employed Robin Cabot as librarian. Cabot, who has a master's degree in library science, comes from New Iberia, La.



What's up?

Doug Broyles, right, gets a laugh by watching Norman Payne stand on his head during a practice session for "The Nutcracker" ballet. Payne gets a little help from fellow actors Jimmy Jones, Heather Mitchell, Janet Turner and Rachel McKinney. "The Nutcracker," sponsored by the Montevallo PTO and the Omni Dance Theatre, will be performed at 3:30 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 9, in Palmer Hall on the UM campus. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$3 for students and may be purchased in Columbiana at the Golden Grasshopper, and in Montevallo at Beth's Gifts, Smitherman Drugs and the House of Serendipity. (photo by Jim Parks)

Aldrich man arrested

in Brierfield shooting

by Bert Seaman

A Shelby County man has been arrested for murder in the Nov. 18, 1984 shooting death of Brierfield resident Bill Burt.

The murder suspect, David Hedgepath, 25, of Aldrich, has been released on \$20,000 bond.

Burt, who was a Bibb County farmer, was shot once in the back as he sat in his parked car on the side of Cahaba Valley Church Road less than a mile from his home.

Burt's son, Billy, Jr., who was in a nearby car, was arrested Nov. 23 for attempted murder and released on \$5,000 bond. The younger Burt reportedly fired several shots at a vehicle that sped away from the shooting scene.

The occupant of the vehicle was apparently 41-year-old Jerry Killingsworth from Chilton County.

Killingsworth was found wounded and staggering along the street near Montevallo City Hall around midnight. He is still in Shelby Medical Center and no charges have been filed against

him as yet.

Bibb County Sheriff Glenn Smitherman, who declined to discuss the case Monday, would not say what information led to the Hedgepath's arrest on Nov. 21, nor if it was Burt or Burt's son who fired the shots that wounded Killingsworth.

The elder Burt reportedly died holding a pistol which had been fired three times.

Smitherman earlier told the Reporter that he thought the fatal shot had been fired from a .3006 rifle, but Monday he would not say whether or not that weapon has been found.

On Nov. 23, Charles E. "Curly" Moreland and John Hardy Moreland, both of Brierfield, were charged with hindering prosecution — charges on which the sheriff would not elaborate.

They were released on \$5,000 bonds.

No motive has been given for the shooting, but the sheriff earlier reported that on the night Burt was killed, he had been very upset over finding his dog shot.

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Sports

For the record

Scoggins has good year

Former Thompson Lady Warrior Janiece "Tootie" Scoggins recorded a successful season in her first year as a UM Lady Falcon volleyball player. Scoggins placed among the team leaders in serve reception percentage with 91 percent, and finished in the top three in service percentage with 95 percent.

Talladega sets races

The Alabama International Motor Speedway in Talladega has announced a 1985 race schedule that will feature nothing but stock car races.

In addition to the track's main events - the Winston 500 in May and the Talladega 500 in July - the speedway will feature three additional stock car races.

Purses for the five events total over \$1 million, with three of the five slated for national television as well.

"In years past, we have had other kinds of events such as sports cars, motorcycles, or karts, but 1985 will be strictly stock cars," said speedway general manager Don Naman. "They are our most popular events, and we want to give the fans what they like to see."

Deer processing tips available

The tips of field dressing and processing deer that appeared in recent editions of the Reporter were taken from a booklet published by the Alabama Cooperative Extension Service. The Shelby County Extension Service now has copies of the booklets available. Area hunters who are interested in obtaining in depth information concerning the processing of venison should contact the county extension office for a copy of the publication.

UM's Warren is coach of year

University of Montevallo volleyball coach Beverly Warren has been named the NAIA District 27 Coach of the Year. Warren guided the Lady Falcons to the district title, a national tournament appearance, and a seventh place finish nationwide.

Warren has taken her squad to the district championship and a national tourney appearance in each year since UM affiliated with the NAIA.

Her lifetime coaching record now stands at 287-116-1.

Alabama-Auburn at Valley

Helen Eckert found a surprise in her first-grade classroom on Alabama-Auburn Day at Valley Elementary School. The avid Auburn fan opened her door to be greeted by a room decorated in red and white complete with an "Alabama football player" who jumped down from her desk top and proceeded to tackle her. Jean Porter, maintenance technician, was responsible for the prank and dressed up as the football player.



JEAN PORTER & HELEN ECKERT
...an Alabama surprise

Just a note to say thanks for everything

TO: ALL FOOTBALL PROGRAMS
Shelby County, Alabama

Dear sirs,

Just a note to say thank you for a 1984 season that will always be a pleasant memory. From the August heat to the frozen toes of playoffs in November, you have performed in ways that make the time I spend with you a pleasure rather than a job.

To the coaches, thanks for being patient with the late night phone calls, for thinking of something good to say - win or lose - and for being understanding about a deadline schedule that was less than desirable.

To the players, thanks for letting me write more stories about winning than about "character-building" (never call it losing,) for talking and being excited, for laughing, for crying, for being funny, and, yes, even for begging me to take your picture and put you in the newspaper.

Thanks, cheerleaders, for keeping the crowds aroused and for wearing your emotions on your sleeves. Half the fun of football is the cheering - and crying - that goes along with it.

Thanks, bands, for making halftimes a time to enjoy rather

than to stand around and try to keep warm.

To the fans, thanks for your cheers, your enthusiasm, and your love for your teams. You are a big part of the reason they keep playing and cheering and marching. Believe it or not, I enjoy being not only a reporter, but a fan of every one of them.

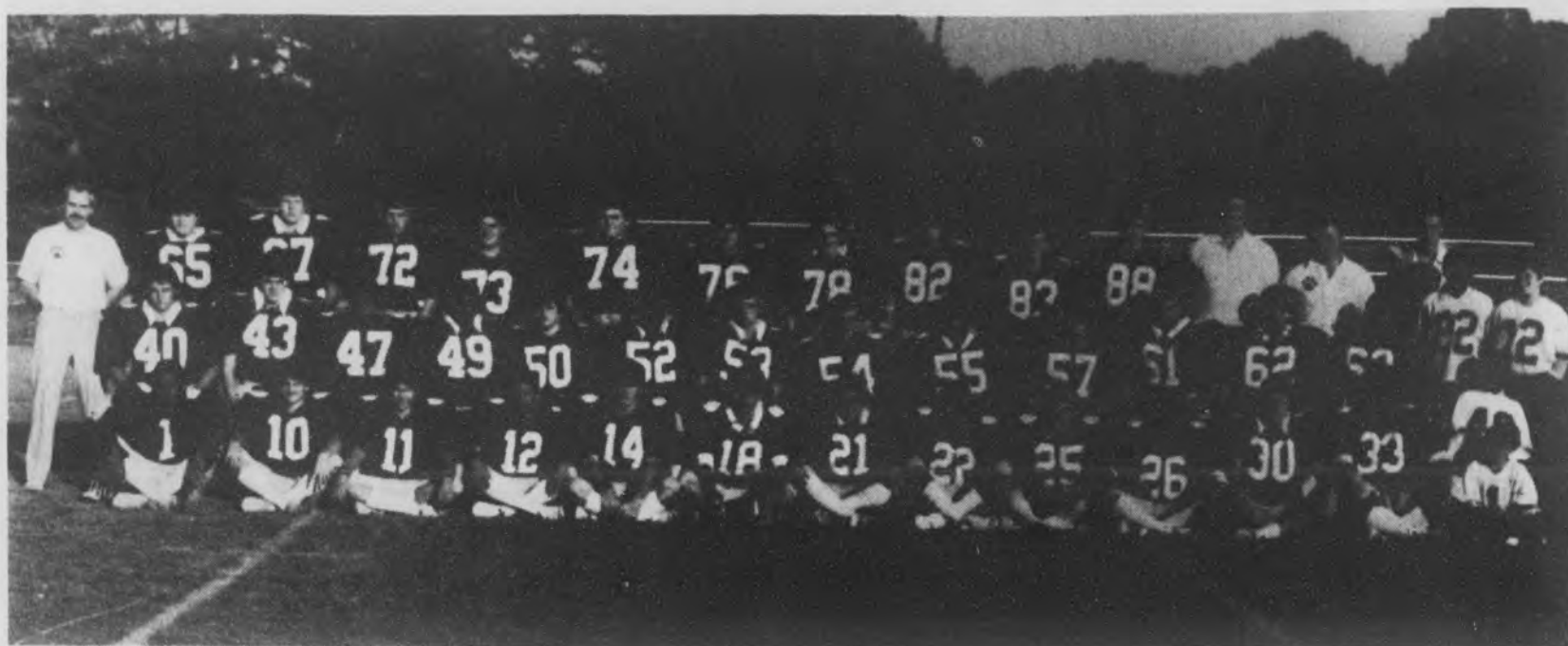
Thanks, schools, for allowing your young men and women to have a unique opportunity to grow through competition and camaraderie, and thanks for trying to teach them in other ways as well.

Thanks to all of you, for criticizing, for praising, but most of all, for being involved. Thanks for making our decisions about Team of the Week honors tough. It simply shows all over again that all of you are winners.

And thanks for reading. That's always nice.

K.A. Turner
Sports Editor

Shelby County Reporter
P.S. You travel a lot in this job. Meet a lot of people. Thanks for always making it easy to say I'm from the Reporter, and I'm here to cover - the Lions, the Eagles, the Hornets, the Rebels, the Bulldogs, the Panthers, the Raiders, the Wildcats, the Warriors, the Yellowjackets.



Team of the Year

The Shelby County High School Wildcats have won the Reporter's Team of the Year Award. Team members include David Wood, Chris Gould, Stacy Mitchell, Kenneth Jones, Kevin Jones, Gerry Lewis, Ambrose Wood, Scotty Bentley, Johnny Boose, Tim Billingsley, Jasper English, Mark Cardwell, Toney Revis, Kevin Wood, Harold

Washington, Scott Robinson, Scott Jowers, Jonathan Davis, Jody Wooten, Edmond Buie, Jonathan Windham, Tim Brasher, Joe Green, Billy Seale, Mark Tidmore, Leroy Martin, Kerry Horton, Tim Sloan, Mike Ganner, Kevin Walton, Terry Guthrie, Kevin Morris.

"Something they can all be proud of"

'Cats are Team of Year

by K. A. Turner

The Shelby County Reporter has named the Shelby County High School Wildcats its 1984 Team of the Year.

In winning the honor, Billy Seale and his Cats recorded the most outstanding performance in a county filled with good football teams.

The Wildcats finished the regular season at 10-0 record - the first perfect performance for an SCHS team in more than a decade. Those wins earned the Cats a trip to the 4A state playoffs, where they beat Fairfield and Jemison before dropping a heart-breaking, last second decision to Cherokee County High.

That post-season record left the SCHS total at 12-1 for the season - more wins than any other county team.

"I'm prejudiced," said SCHS coach Ricky Seale, "but this is

the greatest bunch of kids I've ever been around. I love to see them win any kind of honor."

Coming from a 5-6 finish in 1983, the Wildcats returned a strong offensive line and experience in the backfield. From that base, Seale and staff put together a team that matured throughout the season, led initially by a strong group of ten seniors.

Those seniors had more and more help as the year progressed from enthusiastic young players who grew into winners.

As the hot days of summer practice drew to a close, Seale was making no specific predictions about his team. "This bunch believes it can be good, and that's a key factor," is about all he would say at the time.

The season progressed. Seale continued to feel that his team's belief in itself was the key factor in a season that was becoming a dream come true for Wildcat

players and fans alike.

"These kids are a joy to coach," he said after his team's early season win over Montevallo. "They believe in each other and have enough confidence to be winners."

"All we have to do is pull together and concentrate on what we can do together, not as individuals," said Wildcat Leroy Martin after that win.

The regular season ended. Seale still stressed that the character of his team made the difference in what they were able to accomplish.

"The boys deserve all the credit," he said following the first SCHS win over Jemison. "They have worked hard and have had to come through a lot this year. They are all just little winners."

Despite the fact that the Wildcats did not reach their final goal of a state championship, the enthusiasm and pride the team

generated throughout Columbiana - and Shelby County - rivaled the support of any SCHS team in the past.

Shelby County Reporter Publisher Jim Parks said that the SCHS fan support during the playoff games "gave a new meaning to the word pandamonium."

"The last time Shelby County High School went 10-0 was in the sixties and the men that played on those teams still talk about it," said SCHS senior Terry Guthrie following the end of the perfect regular season. With that fact on which to base an assumption, folks in Columbiana may be hearing about the 1984 Wildcats for a very long time.

"This is better than any individual honor," Seale said of the Team of the Year award. "This is something they can all look back on and be proud of for the rest of their lives."

Reporter gives private school title

Rebs named champions

by K. A. Turner

The Coosa Valley Academy Rebels have been named the 1984 county private school champions by the Shelby County Reporter.

The title is a rather natural one, as the Rebs of Bruce Breland also wear the 2A state football private school championship crown.

CVA finished the regular season with a 9-1 record, then took playoff wins over Pike and Springwood to claim the state title. The Rebels 14-0 win over cross-county rival Shelby Academy, however, was the clincher for the county title.

Championships are something Breland has had his team thinking about since last summer (if not sooner), and more specifically,

the week before the Springwood game.

The coach had his team spend the week before their title win looking at this definition:

C - concentration.
H - heart.
A - attitude.
M - modesty.
P - practice.
S - sacrifice.

Reflecting on their championship, the six Coosa Valley seniors had some additional thoughts.

"This is the most," said Brett Stricklin. "Lots of hard work and dedication went into this. Sometimes you wonder if all the work is worth it, but it really pays off in this. It's a feeling you just can't explain. It's sure the best

feeling I've ever had."

"It took a lot of hard work," said Dennis Robertson. "We went through a lot of pain in the summer. It's want and desire. This means everything to me."

"Before I came here I didn't know what it took to win," said Mike Gragg. "This taught me to be a winner. This showed me if you work hard for something, you can get it."

"Everybody played with their hearts," said Bobby Glass. "The line has been working hard, the backs have been running hard. We can't do it without everybody together. Everybody gave their hearts."

"I hadn't been on a winning team since I was in the sixth

grade," said Tugie Harmon. "Dennis (Robertson) and I have played together since the seventh grade, and I know we have been working toward this since then. I'd like to dedicate this game to the coaches. They made it possible. Right now, this is all we've worked for. It's the greatest feeling in the world."

"Losing hurts," said Ricky Sprouse. "We've been hurt here for the past three or four years. Before I came here, I didn't care, win or lose. Coach Breland instilled in us that it mattered to win. We won't accept losing. It does matter whether you win or lose. Winning is the ultimate thing. There's no substitute for this feeling."



County Private School Champs

The Coosa Valley Academy Rebels are the county private school champions by virtue of their win over Shelby Academy in the final

game of the regular season. The Rebs proved themselves true champions in post-season play, winning a state title as well.

by K. A. Turner



ROUNDBALL ROUNDUP

THS is 4-0

Chelsea wins in OT

Lady Lions win



The Thompson Warriors took wins over two county opponents in roundball action last week as Vincent and Shelby County Highs became the latest teams to fall to Thomas Johnson and team. Thompson remains undefeated at 4-0.

"We are lucky and fortunate to be where we are," Johnson said. "We are playing pretty well and we have played some good teams."

The Warriors win over Vincent was a 70-68 overtime decision in a game that was close throughout. Thompson had a three-point lead with only 10 seconds remaining, but a steal and foul shot by Reginald Riggins cut the margin to two points.

Following a time-out in which Vincent coach Ricahrd Crumpton had told Riggins to miss the second half of the one and one, Tony Hamilton tipped in the miss for Vincent, tying the score at 64.

Thompson then reeled off six straight points, and held back the visitors from Vincent to take the OT win.

Chris Thomas led three Warriors who scored in double figures, hitting for 26 points. Tony Hale added 17 and Richard Kidd 16. Thomas and Kidd led the Warrior rebounding with nine and six respectively.

Bruce Hamilton and Tony Hamilton each got 20 points for the Jackets, with Vernon Kidd adding 10. Bruce grabbed 19 rebounds and Tony 15 to lead the the Jackets on the boards.

Thompson's win over Shelby County was more decisive, as the Warriors took an 82-37 decision. "We just played real well," Johnson said.

Chris Thomas again led Thompson statistically, recording a season high 28 points and grabbing 18 rebounds. Todd Harris added 11 points and Tony Hale 10.

David Wood led Shelby County's scoring with 16.

In spite of the perfect season thus far, Johnson still sees areas in which his team needs to improve.

"We need to get more consistent with our rebounds, free throws and inside shooting," he said. "We are only shooting 59 percent as a team now, compared to 79 percent last year."

Shelby County's first week with the roundball was not all bad, however, as the Cats gave first year coach Randall Terry a win in their season opener against Montevallo, 74-68.

"I was definitely pleased," Terry said, "especially with the effort we gave. We didn't have a lot of time to practice."

The Wildcats led 16-12 at the close of the first quarter, but fell behind at the half 32-35. The third quarter ended in a 50-50 tie before the Cats used backcourt pressure to score eight straight points and pull away to win.

"We played especially well on defense," Terry said. "Ambrose Wood put good pressure on their

guards and O'Neal Williams had a good board game."

Williams was also the scoring leader in the game for SCHS, recording 19 points. Kenneth Jones hit 18, David Wood 17, and Randy Patterson 10 to give four Wildcats double-figure scoring totals.

"David had a good game," Terry said of the elder of the Wood brothers. "I don't think he was totally pleased, but I thought he played well."

For Montevallo, Tommy Bivins led in scoring and rebounding with 24 points and 11 caroms. Cedric Nix also got 11 rebounds and 12 points, while Danny Holmes added 17 points for the Bulldogs.

MHS first year coach Bobby Pierson had a sort of "baptism by fire" but was not totally displeased with the effort of his team in his first-ever head coaching game.

"I thought we played real well, all things considered," he said. "Tommy Bivins and Danny Holmes both had good games, and Slade Blackwell came off the bench to look good after only a week of practice because of football."

"We start two sophomores, and we let the press and their fast break hurt us some," he said. "By the next couple of games we should be able to fix that."

The Shelby Academy Raiders took two wins against only one loss to finish third in the Berney Points Invitational Tournament, a traditional season-opener for private schools in the area.

Dewayne Kervin's Raiders beat Cathedral 40-24, dropped a 38-36 decision to eventual champion Minor, then won the consolation contest with host Berney Points, 54-31.

Shelby was paced throughout the tournament by eventual all-tourney honoree Dennis Ataway, who led the Raiders in scoring with 17 points in each of the three games.

Against Cathedral, Robert Thomas added 12 points and Vince Pickett grabbed 11 rebounds.

In the loss to Minor — a game that posted two point or less margins throughout the second half — Pickett supported the Ataway scoring with 14 rebounds.

In the battle for the third place trophy, Pickett scored 16 points and watched Ataway led in rebounds with 10.

The Chelsea Hornets continue to be involved in overtime ballgames.

Last week they came out on the winning end of a 62-57 decision with Jemison as part of a 1-1 week for Chelsea. The contest ended at 51-51, but the Hornets used what coach Mike Sims called a "total team effort" to score 11 overtime points for the win.



Pressure

Montevallo's Danny Holmes (10) makes a move as Shelby County's David Wood (34) adds defensive pressure. Holmes scored 17 points in the season opener with Shelby County. (photo by K.A. Turner)

Steve Shelton recorded 28 points for the Hornets in the win. Keith Welch added 16 and Steve Guthrie got eight.

In the rebounding department, Sims said that Matt Russell, Welch, and Shelton each had good game.

Later in the week, Chelsea dropped a 73-57 decision to Brighton in an area contest, despite 20 points from Welch, 18 from Shelton, and 11 from Guthrie. Russell, Mort Moody, and Welch were the rebounding leaders in the Brighton contest.

The Calera Eagles presented new head coach Gary Griffith with a win — an 83-73 decision over Briarwood.

The Eagles placed four men in double figures in taking the win over the previously unbeaten Lions.

Kenny Marsh was the Eagle leader with 24 points. Greg Haynes added 14, Chris Smith 13, and Mark Jones 12.

Casey Campbell got 19 points and Conrad Carpenter 11 in the effort for BCHS.

The Lions got back on track late in the week with a 67-43 win over Hayden.

Each of the Lions' eleven players scored in the contest, indicative, according to coach Steve Franklin, of the effort each member of his team has given throughout the season.

Milton Seabolt had 11 points and 11 rebounds to top both stats for Briarwood.

The win leaves the Lions at 3-1. "We've got a pretty good little team," Franklin said. "They are all working awfully hard."

The Pelham Panthers took a 56-55 come-from-behind win over area foe Homewood before a scheduling quirk gave them last week off.

Pelham trailed by 10 at the half, and by six at the close of the third period before taking the one point win.

John North led the Panther scoring with 17 points. Doug Patton added 15 and Sammy Nelms got 12.

Indian Springs dropped a close 48-45 decision to St. Clair County in an area game last week.

Randy Mason and Evan Goldberg paced the ISS team with 18 points each. Mason was also a rebounding leader with 13 caroms. David Garcia grabbed 13 rebounds as well.

A 57-45 loss to Childersburg closed out a tough 0-2 week for the Vincent Yellowjackets.

Tony Hamilton led Vincent in both scoring and rebounding for the game, netting 12 points and pulling in ten rebounds. Vernon Kidd added 10 points in the effort.

"I'm ready to get these road games over with," said coach Richard Crumpton, whose Jackets are being forced to play away from the nest while new bleachers are being installed in the home gym.

The Montevallo Lady Bulldogs took a 32-21 win over the Shelby County Lady Wildcats — a positive comeback after a tough 57-17 loss to Jemison early in the week.

Carol Paschel led the Lady Dogs with 14 points. In addition, Montevallo coach Dorothy Bishop credited Paschel with controlling the boards against SCHS. Lisa Devinner added 13 points in the win.

She was also the scoring leader with six points in Jemison loss.

The Lady Wildcat got 11 points from Glenda Buie in the contest.

The Briarwood Lady Lions won their second straight contest last week, beating Hayden 49-40.

Stephanie Johnson led the Lady BCHS point totals with 15, followed by Valerie Ysambert with 13 and Elizabeth Meredith

with seven. Ysambert, an ex-cabbge students from France, also led the team in rebounds with nine.

The Thompson Lady Warriors took a win in their season opener with Gardendale, 59-34.

"We won, that's about it," said THS coach Barry Jones. "It was their first game, and they played fairly well."

The Lady Warriors had three scorers in double figures, paced by an 18-point performance from Allison Bivins. Lori Glasgow added 13 points and Katheel Hunter got 12.

Wendy Skinner led the Lady Warrior rebounding effort with 10, and Bivins added eight.

The Shelby Academy Lady Raiders took one win in three games last week, defeating Coosa Valley 27-18, then dropping a 35-13 decision to Cahawba, and a 35-20 game top Southern.

Jerri Hardwick led the Lady Raider scorers in the win with 10 points, while Katrina Gentry added eight.

Jessica Ann Eisenberg led the SA rebounding effort, as she did in each of the three games.

Beverly Winslett led the scoring in the Cahawba contest with five points. Gentry was the scoring leader against Southern with ten.

Despite a 32 point performance from Sandy Brasher, the Chelsea Lady Hornets dropped a 63-47 decision to Brighton last week. Brasher was also the rebounding leader for Richard Conkle's team.

Brasher led points and Deborah Shirley led rebounding in the Hornets 54-38 loss to Jemison. Brasher got 18 points to give her a 50-point total in two games for the week.

The ISS girls varsity team fell to St. Clair County 35-27, despite 15 points from Cauley Kelly. Elizabeth Lockhard added eight points to the ISS total.



Going up

A Shelby County Wildcat goes up against Montevallo's Tommy Bivins (20) and Cedric Nix (30) as O'Neal Williams (32) and Rodney Patterson (50) look on in the Wildcats opening win over the Bulldogs. Wood played an especially effective game on defense, putting pressure on the Montevallo guards in the backcourt. (Photo by Hugh Wilson)



Thompson honors athletes

MVP

Preston Hansford shows the blocking form that helped to gain him most valuable player honors at the recent Thompson football banquet. The MVP was selected by the Thompson team.

The Thompson football players took time to honor their own last Friday as the Warriors held their annual football honors banquet.

The majority of the honors given during the evening were voted on by team members themselves, making them especially meaningful to their recipients.

The one exception to the selection method is the annual scholastic award, won this year by Brian Roach.

Captains for the 1984 Warriors are seniors Preston Hansford, Homer Threatt, and Manny Swain.

Hansford also won the Most Valuable Player award and the Most Valuable Defensive Lineman award. Hansford served double duty for coach Doug Wheeler's Warriors as a tight end and defensive tackle.

Most Valuable Offensive Lineman is tackle Homer Threatt. Most Valuable Offensive Back is tailback Todd Harris. Most Valuable Defensive Back is linebacker Dennis Null.

Calera's Stricklin wins NASCAR award

Calera's Waymond "Hut" Strickland won the Most Popular Driver Award in the NASCAR All-American Challenge Series. He was given the award during a recent banquet in Nashville.

Stricklin, 23, recorded his most successful season ever during the past racing year, finishing second in the All-American Challenge Series points standings. Stricklin drove his own Pontiac Firebird in

all of the race events, winning three of the 15 stops on the series tour.

Stricklin had victories in Greenville, South Carolina, Nashville, and the Highland Rim Speedway in Tennessee. He was also leading the All-American race atop at his home track, the Birmingham International Speedway, when engine trouble forced him to drop out of the race. That

trouble probably cost him the points championship, as Mike Alexander outdistanced him in the final tally.

Stricklin also won the title of Winston Racing Series track champion for the 1984 season at BIR — a repeat performance of his 1982 track championship.

"This is probably the greatest honor I have received in racing," Stricklin said. "It is even more

special because it is voted on by fellow drivers, NASCAR officials, fans, and the media."

Stricklin was joined at the honors banquet by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waymond Stricklin of Calera, and Pam Allison, daughter of NASCAR driver Donnie Allison and a long-time friend of Stricklin. He received a large silver trophy as a symbol of the honor.

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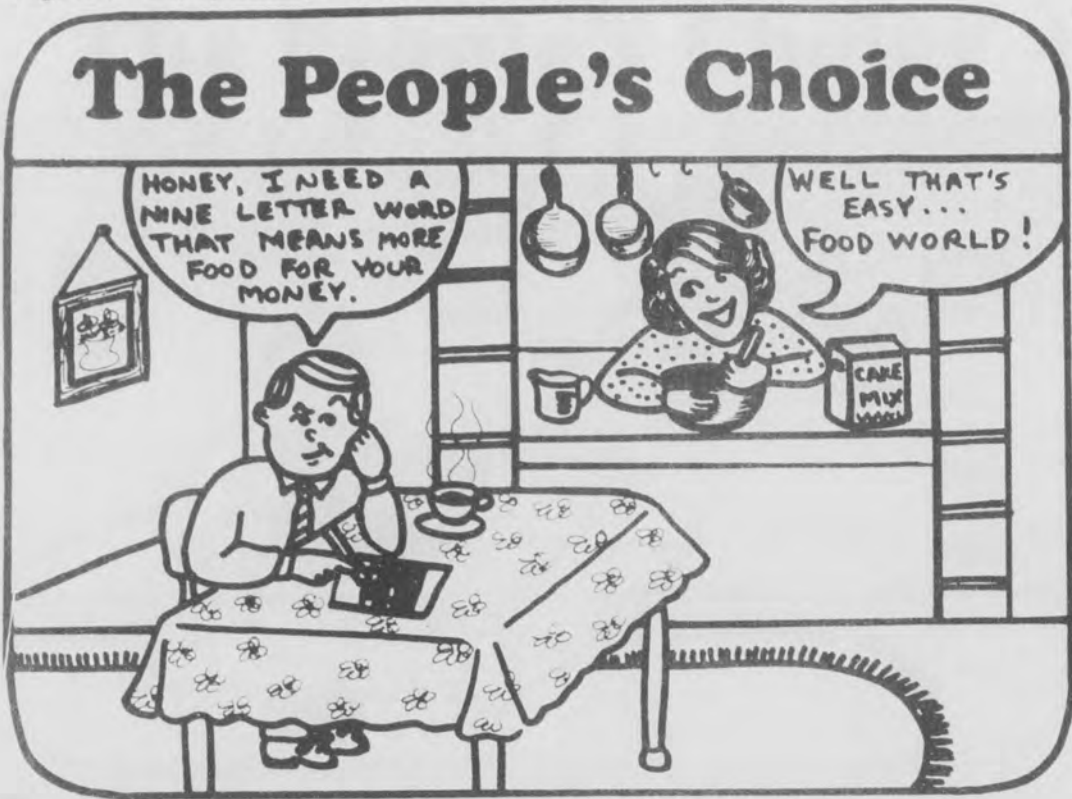
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1000-yard rushers... and their friends



Wood and company

Shelby County's Ambrose Wood (center) got good blocking from (left to right) tackle Mark Tidmore, tight end Kevin Jones, guard Leroy Martin, center Kerry Horton, guard Scott Robin-

son, and tackle Billy Seale as he rushed for over 1000 yards during the 1984 season. Though Wood is only a sophomore, his friends are seniors. (photo by K.A. Turner)



Harris and company

Thompson Warrior linemen (left to right) tackle Harold Threath, guard Russell Templin, center David Grill, guard Russell Worrell, tackle Homer Threath, and tight end Preston Hansford surround

runningback Todd Harris. The THS line opened hole through which the senior tailback gained over 1000 yards during the 1984 season. (photo by K.A. Turner)



Prentice and company

Anthony Prentice (center) recorded a very successful season for the Montevallo Bulldogs, using speed and power to rush for over 1000 yards. He did, however, get a lot of help from (clockwise

from left) Johnny Holsembeck, Freeman Rutledge, Norman Payne, Andy Brindley, Sean Roberts, Lonnie Layton, and James Lucas. (photo by K.A. Turner)

Runningbacks get help

by K.A. Turner

"I get by with a little help from my friends."

Three Shelby County runningbacks got by a lot of tacklers during the 1984 football season, rushing past the elusive 1000-yard mark.

They had, however, more than a little help from a good group of friends, the offensive linemen at Montevallo, Shelby County, and Thompson high schools.

Shelby County Wildcat Ambrose Wood finished the season with over 1500 yards, halfway to a second 1000.

His high game, and the high total among county rushers for a single game this season, was a 251 yard effort against Briarwood.

Wood faces the coming season, however, without the line that created the holes for him, as each of the Wildcat starters on the offensive line will move on due to graduation.

Thompson's Todd Harris finished his senior season with over 1400 yards, despite missing the equivalent of three ballgames due to injury.

As Harris leaves, so do four of the six THS linemen, part of a THS offensive front that averaged grading a winning percentage in each of their games.

Montevallo Bulldog Anthony Prentice finished the year with over 1200 yards, part of a double-duty season that saw the senior excel equally on the offensive and defensive side of the ball.

Prentice, too, ran behind a veteran line, as five of the seven Bulldogs who played most often will leave as graduates.

A fourth 1000-yard effort was turned in by the line and a back at Coosa Valley Academy. Mike Gragg rushed for over 1200 yards in the Rebs championship season, but due to extenuating circumstances, was not available for a photo. The CVA line and Gragg will be featured in a coming issue of the Reporter.



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UM wins with heroics

Last second heroics by both men's and women's performers capped off a semi-productive week in University of Montevallo basketball.

Kennedy King's last second putback of a missed shot in double-overtime squeaked UM by Stillman College Saturday night, 86-85.

Earlier, Lady Falcon Diana Olszewski calmly put away two free throws with 10 seconds left in regulation to hand the Lady Falcons a 54-53 win over the Lady Tigers of Stillman.

With the sweep of the doubleheader both UM clubs finished the week with a pair of wins and one loss. The Falcons are now 2-1. The Lady Falcons stand at 3-2.

A six-game week of Montevallo basketball started with Livingston bouncing the Ladies 78-59, while the men began their season with an 83-67 win over Stillman.

Wednesday, the Lady Falcons evened their record by downing pesky West Georgia, 60-52. Thursday finished the three-day homestand with Troy State beating the men's team 77-67.

In UM's season-opener, King dealt Stillman fits. The junior scored 19 points and pulled down 16 rebounds. In the return match with the Tigers King scored 23 points, eight in overtime, and secured 11 rebounds. Eddy Norris had 15 points and 10 boards, and Sammy Jackson finished

with 14.

In the Troy State loss, Jackson shined with 26 points, while Steve Swain chipped in 12.

Against Stillman, Dexter Walker scored 20, while Swain and Eddie Bullock chipped in 11 each to follow King.

Former Montevallo High star Ruth Perkins had the hot stand for the Lady Falcons against Livingston and West Georgia, scoring 17 and 16 points respectively.

Lynette French and Kelly Green added 12 each in the loss to

LU. Pam Johnson was the only other double figure scorer for UM in the win over West Georgia with 13.

With Ruth Perkins held to nine points at Stillman, teammates Judy Perkins and Olszewski accounted for 11 and 10 points respectively to lead the women. Olszewski and Shay Giddy lead UM's women on the boards.

Following the doubleheader Saturday evening both the Falcons and the Lady Falcons take the week off for final exams.

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Military News

Roger M. Whitson, of Wilsonville has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, TX.

Whitson will be assigned at Edwards Air Force Base, CA.

He is the son of Samuel and Juanita Whitson of Wilsonville.

His wife, Dianne, is the daughter of Gene and Jean Duffey, also of Wilsonville.

Todd Lilly, son of Beartice Lilly of Montevallo, has been promoted to the rank of corporal while serving at Marine Corps Base Camp Butler, on Okinawa. He is a 1981 graduate of Montevallo High School.

Pfc. Charles Walker Jr., son of Sarah and Charles Walker Sr. of Vincent, has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

He is a 1978 graduate of Pell City High School.

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Hope retires

Luther Jackson Hope retired Nov. 23 after 31 years service with the Shelby County Highway Department. On Nov. 28, his boss, county engineer Gary Ray (right), presented Hope with a resolution of commendation from the county commission, and a check. (photo by David F. Moore)

Hope retires from 'the best job'

"It's the best job I ever had," said retiring Luther Jackson Hope of the 31 years he spent working for the Shelby County Highway Department.

Since starting the job on April 29, 1953, Hope, who lives in the Shelby community, has worked on nearly every road built in the county. For most of the years, he drove a bulldozer for the road grading crew.

He retired in November for health reasons, is now being watched over at home by his wife, Laura Barnes Hope.

In recognition of service, county engineer Gary Ray recently presented Hope with several plaques and traditional retirement check.

A framed resolution to Hope from the Shelby County Commission read, in part: "During 31 years he has made invaluable contributions to the nationally acclaimed total program of the Shelby County Department of Public Works."

The resolution cited Hope for "devotion to duty through hard work."

Crusades for Christ to feed the hungry at 'Master's Table'

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"But when you give a feast, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind and you will be blessed, since they do not have the means to repay you; for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous." (Luke 14:12-14)

This scripture has inspired the Crusades for Christ group to share a Christmas feast with those in Shelby County who may not be so fortunate as to have a holiday meal.

Between 500 and 1,000 Shelby County people will partake of the "Feast at the Master's Table" on Dec. 22 in Alabaster.

Daryl Pitts, a spokesman for the group, said that those who would like to be a part of this Christian endeavor, their tax deductible contribution will help feed many needy individuals.

Pitts said contributions are still needed to provide enough food for all the people expected to participate in the Christmas dinner.

Anyone wishing to contribute can send check or money order payable to "Crusades for Christ" to: Rt.1 Box 719 Shelby, AL. 35143.

For more information: Steve Bingham, 669-9081, or Daryl Pitts, 669-9704 after 6:00 p.m.

Gov. appoints Draper

John Draper, director of the Alabama Traffic Safety Center, has been appointed chairman of the Governor's task force on safety belts.

Draper, who lives in Alabaster, said that the governor is expected to sign a proclamation declaring January as Safety Belt month.

He noted that some 50,000 vehicle related fatalities occur each year, and that 70-75 percent occur in the vehicle or as a result of being ejected from it.

The figures are staggering considering that the safety belt, the most effective device against serious and fatal accidents is so widely available, Draper said.

Several states and many foreign countries now have national laws requiring front seat passengers to buckle up.



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The CHURCH points the way to GOD

Church Directory

by Dr. Wayne Crumpton
First Baptist Church
Alabaster

"All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine for reproof, for correction, for in-

struction in righteousness..."
2 Timothy 3:16

May I speak with you about the book that benefits. Not all books are beneficial. Worse still is the fact that some books actually break down instead of build up. However, the book I wish to discuss will bless you if you allow it to do so.

Paul begins by stating that this book is **produced** by God. The Bible is God's handiwork. It is created by Him. Basically that is what inspiration means.

Then he says that the book is **profitable**. Scripture, like medicine, is good for you. Often we take it like medicine, treating it as necessary, yet, distasteful thing.

Paul suggests four ways the Bible is profitable. Please look with me at these four important, yet basic truths.

The scripture is profitable because from it we learn **what is right**. There are so many ways that seem right to men (Proverbs 14:12). Men accept these ways and before long they are expounding them to others (1 Timothy 4). Tragically too many never go to the ultimate source of truth to find out what is right.

The word "doctrine" in the texts means "to teach." Scripture is profitable for right teaching or teaching what is right. If you wish to know what is right and not simply that which seems right, turn to the scriptures.

God expects us to know right, and to do right. Unless we are right we cannot have fellowship with Him. Therefore, He has told us in His Word what is right. There is no way one can do right without knowing what is, in fact, right.

The Bible also tells us **what is not right**. That is a benefit also. If we are to do right and shun what is not right then this information is imperative.

"Reproof" means convict. In the verb form it means "to rebuke another with such effectual weilding of the victorious arms of truth, as to bring him, if not always to a confession, yet at least to a conviction of his sin" (Wuest, page 150, Pastoral Epistles).

Being negative is frowned on in some circles. The Bible benefits us by telling us what is not right. It is a benefit not only because it keeps us from hell, but also because it keeps us from harm.

The third benefit of the Bible is that it tells us **how to get right**. The truth is man is not naturally right. Man is born a sinner, not a saint. The Bible is the authority on what one must do when he is guilty of doing what he should not do.

"Correction" means, "setting right," according to Vincent. The Bible tells us how to get right as a sinner estranged from God (1 John 5:12). We are told in this book how to get right when as a saint we are guilty of sin (1 John 1:9).

God's Word also tells us how to get right as a servant when we have a falling out with a fellow servant (Matthew 18:15-35).

Finally, we are told **how to stay right**. "Discipline" is vital to staying right.

One must discipline himself to **shun sin** (James 4:7). Just as an athlete must restrain himself, so must the Christian.

Next, one must **seek** the kingdom first (Matthew 6:33). Priorities must be set. They

must be "stuck to". The must be sought.

Proper use will both **fit** you for service and **outfit** you for service (2 Timothy 3:17). This book is worth a great deal of your time.

Alabaster Church of God
1st Ave. W., 1 Block below Post Office
Carl P. Miller, Pastor
663-9295
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday (F.T.H.) 7 p.m.

Antioch Baptist Church
Kingdom Community
Columbiana
Howard Brasher, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Training Union 6 p.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer 7 p.m.

Apostolic Truth Center
1 Block N.E. of Columbiana
669-9371
John Beane, Pastor
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Sunday Night 7 p.m.
Mid-Week, Wednesday 7 p.m.
Come Worship With Us

Bay Springs Baptist Church
South of Shelby
669-9075
Truman Graves, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 a.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethel Baptist Church
Int. Hwys. 25 & 49
Glenn Langner, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Baptist Church
1 Block N.E. of Springcreek
Grocery at Hwys. 71 & 46
665-4549
Pat Edwin Minshew, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Everyone Welcome, Please Come

Calcis Missionary Baptist
Hwy 25, between Vincent & Sterrett
John B. Dye, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"The Family Church"

Calera Baptist Church
Corner of Hwys 31 So & 25
Mack D. McCollum, Pastor
Minister of Ed./Youth, Joseph Sorah
Minister of Music, Debra Horton
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Vincent
672-9384
Bill Nugent, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Christ Church, United Methodist
5191 Caldwell Mill Road,
Birmingham, Alabama 35244
991-5065
Byron White, Minister
Worship 8:30 - 9:40 - 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:40 & 11 a.m.
U.M.Y.F. 5 p.m.
"A Spirit Filled Church"

Christ the King Lutheran Church
611 Riverchase Parkway West
988-5004
The Rev. Gary M. Schimmer
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Nursery for all services
Mother's Day Out, Wed. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
"Celebrating Our Life In Christ"

Columbiana Church of Christ
Joe W. Pruett, Minister
Hwy 25 By-Pass Columbiana
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Columbiana First Baptist
"The Friendly Church"
Tim Williams, Pastor
669-3128
208 No. Main St., Columbiana
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 6:30 p.m.

Crosscreek Baptist Church
600 Crosscreek Trail, Pelham
663-4886
Dr. Richard Wash, Pastor
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"Creative Christianity"

Enon Baptist Church
Rick Evans, Pastor
Intersection Co. Rds. 89 & 18
Between Montevallo & Calera
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7 p.m.

1st Baptist Church of Alabaster
Corner of 3rd Ave. & 9th St. NW
Dr. Wayne Crumpton, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
663-3531

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Alabaster, Kingwood Subdivision
663-3933
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Hwy 17, Maylene
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Rev. Dwight Joiner
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Helena Pentecostal
Worship Center
Come Worship With Us!
Rev. Ray Smith
Follow the sign.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday night 7 p.m.

Helena Baptist Church
Bill Heaton, Pastor
Junction of Hwys. 52 & 261
Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Worship 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Hickory Hills Worship Center
Hwy 68 in Allen Lane, Alabaster
Eugene Grater, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Midweek Services 7 p.m.
"Bible based fellowship worshipping Jesus in Spirit and in Truth"

Liberty Baptist Church
Jimmy Dean, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Training Union 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m. & Wednesdays 7 p.m.
Liberty Rd., Chelsea

Metro Baptist Church
220 Main St., Alabaster
Bob Etheridge, Pastor
Ride the Bus to Sunday School
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-week Services 7 p.m.

Montevallo First Baptist
Thomas Mansell, Pastor
Corner of Middle & Main St.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednes. Night Programs 5:45 p.m.

Montevallo Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
Shelby at Alabama St., Montevallo
665-7360
Thomas A. Cheatham, Pastor
Church School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Presbyterian Student Center
41 Vine St., 665-7360

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church
Junction of Cahaba Valley Rd., Valleydale and Caldwell Mill Rd.
991-5488 or 991-6288
Mass, Sat. (Vigil) 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Confession, Saturday 4:15 p.m.-5:15 p.m.
Father Michael J. White, Pastor

Pelham First Assembly of God
Pastor: Stan Littleton
Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Family Night (Wednesday) 7 p.m.
663-6424 or 663-9064

Pelham United Methodist Church
Co. Rd. 52 and Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir & Youth Programs
Sunday 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
663-3309
David Wallace, Pastor

Siluria Baptist Church
Dr. Harlice Keown, Pastor
Hwy 119, Alabaster
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Episcopal
The Rev. Joseph L. Knott
Oak & Plowman St., Montevallo
665-1667
Holy Eucharist 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.

Westwood Baptist Church
7th Ave. SW, Alabaster
664-0122
Sunday Worship 8:45 - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Sunday Bible Study & Church Training
at 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:15 p.m.
"A Church Worth Finding"
Dr. Charles Inman, Pastor

Wildwood Chapel Assembly of God
Columbiana Cut-Off, Hwy 26
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.
Edith Morgan, Pastor

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TV Log for Dec. 6-12

THURSDAY 12/6/84

MORNING

8:00 (3) 17 SportsCenter
9:00 (7) (11) [21] MOVIE: 'Chel'
(3) 17 Professional Rodeo from Mesquite, TX
11:00 (3) 17 Auto Racing '84: 24 Hours of Lemans

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Semifinals from Melbourne, Australia
1:00 (7) (11) [21] MOVIE: 'The Invisible Man'
3:00 (3) 17 J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: First Round from Largo, FL
5:00 (3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
5:30 (3) 17 SportsCenter

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Family Feud
(4) (5) [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(11) [21] CHiPs
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Semifinals from Melbourne, Australia
(7) Here Come the Brides
(4) [42] Name That Tune
(5) [10] Making of Indiana Jones
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(2) [6] Entertainment Tonight
(4) [42] Magnum P.I.
(5) [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] Cosby Show
(7) [11] [21] Dallas
(7) Circus
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Kramer vs. Kramer'
(3) [13] Family Ties
(4) [42] Simon & Simon
(5) [10] Tenders of a Dream
(3) [13] Cheers
(4) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Sunshine Christmas'
(7) 700 Club
(3) [13] Night Court
(4) [42] Knot's Landing
(5) [10] Forum: Future of Small Family Farming
(3) [13] Hill Street Blues
(2) [6] 20/20 (CC)
(7) My Little Margie
(4) [42] Rituals
(5) [10] Making of Indiana Jones
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] That's Incredible
(7) Bill Cosby Show
10:30 (4) [42] Newhart
(3) [13] M*A*S*H
(7) [11] [21] Sanford and Son
(7) Best of Groucho
(2) [6] Benson
11:00 (3) (4) [42] MOVIE: 'Hobson's Choice'
(3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Luck of the Irish'
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Burns & Allen
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
11:30 (3) [13] Tonight Show
(3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
(7) Love That Bob
(7) Top Rank Boxing
(7) I Married Joan
(2) [6] Police Woman
12:30 (3) [13] Late Night with David Letterman
(7) Dobbie Gillis

1:00 (3) (4) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Lancer Spy'
(7) Bachelor Father
(2) [6] Facts of the 80's
(3) [13] Carol Burnett
(7) Blondie
(3) [13] News
(7) 700 Club
2:30 (3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Semifinal - Match B from Melbourne, Australia
3:00 (2) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
3:30 (7) Ross Bagley
4:00 (2) [6] Another Life
4:30 (2) [6] Jimmy Swaggart

**FRIDAY
12/7/84**

MORNING

8:00 (3) 17 SportsCenter
8:30 (3) 17 J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: First Round from Largo, FL
9:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Min And Bill'
10:30 (3) 17 1984 Masters of Aerobatics
11:00 (3) 17 PKA Full Contact Karate: U.S. Light Heavyweight Championship

AFTERNOON

12:30 (3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Semifinal - Match A from Melbourne, Australia
1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Maracibo'
(3) 17 J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: Second Round from Largo, FL
5:00 (3) 17 ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
5:30 (3) 17 Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Family Feud
(4) (5) [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(11) [21] CHiPs
(3) 17 SportsCenter
(7) Here Come the Brides
(4) [42] Name That Tune
(5) [10] For the Record
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(2) [6] Entertainment Tonight
(4) [42] Johnny Cash: Christmas On the Road
(5) [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] Dean Martin Celebrity Roast
(7) [11] [21] Dallas
(7) Santa and the Three Bears
(2) [6] Cabbage Patch Christmas
(3) 17 NFL Game of the Week
(2) [6] Webster (CC)
(4) [42] Dallas (CC)
(5) [10] Washington Week/Review
(3) [13] Hunter
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Black Beauty' Part 1
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(7) 700 Club

(2) [6] Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
8:30 (4) (5) [10] Wall Street Week
9:00 (3) (4) [42] Falcon Crest
(4) [5] [10] Great Performances (CC)
(3) [13] Miami Vice
(2) [6] Matt Houston (CC)
9:30 (3) [13] Jack Benny Show
10:00 (3) (4) [42] Rituals
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] That's Incredible
(7) NFL's Superstars
(7) Bill Cosby Show
10:30 (3) (4) [42] MOVIE: 'Five of Me'
(3) [13] M*A*S*H
(7) [11] [21] Sanford and Son
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Best of Groucho
(2) [6] Benson
11:00 (3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Creature From the Black Lagoon'
(3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
(7) Burns & Allen
(2) [6] Puttin' on the Hits
11:30 (3) [13] Tonight Show
(7) NFL Game of the Week
(7) Love That Bob
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
12:00 (3) 17 PKA Full Contact Karate: Light Middleweight Contenders Bout
(7) I Married Joan
12:30 (3) (4) [42] MOVIE: 'One Deadly Owner'
(3) [13] MOVIE: 'Gypsy'
(7) Dobbie Gillis
(2) [6] Police Woman
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Bedtime Story'
(7) Bachelor Father
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Blondie
(2) [6] Star Search
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(7) 700 Club
(3) [13] News
(2) [6] Entertainment This Week
(7) Ross Bagley
(2) [6] Wonder Woman
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Young Racers'
(7) J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: Second Round from Largo, FL
4:30 (2) [6] Insight

**SATURDAY
12/8/84**

MORNING

7: (11) [21] Movie Cont'd
(7) Blackwood Brothers
(4) [42] Get Along Gang
(3) [13] Pink Panther and Sons
(7) [11] [21] Leave It to Beaver
(3) 17 SportsCenter
(2) [6] Superfries
(4) [42] Muppet Babies
(3) [13] Smurfs
(7) [11] [21] NFL Pro Magazine
(7) Wharton/ Business Times Management Report
(7) James Robison
8:30 (3) [42] Dungeons and Dragons
(7) [11] [21] M.D.-TV
(7) Lesson
(2) [6] Turbo Teen
(4) [42] Pole Position
(7) [11] [21] Champion of Sports
(7) Super Bouts of the 70's
(7) Cisco Kid
(2) [6] Dragon's Lair
(3) (4) [42] Saturday Supercade
(3) [13] Alvin & the Chipmunks
(7) MOVIE: 'The Storm Rider'
(2) [6] New Scooby Doo Mysteries
10:00 (3) [13] Kidd Video
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Don't Be Afraid of the Dark'
(3) 17 NFL's Greatest Moments
(2) [6] Scary Scooby Funnies
(3) [13] Mr. T
(7) NFL Game of the Week
(2) [6] Littles
11:00 (3) (4) [42] Bugs Bunny/Road Runner
(3) [13] NFL '84
(7) SportsCenter Plus
(7) Laredo
(2) [6] ABC Weekend Special (CC)
11:30 (3) [13] NFL Football: Buffalo at New York Jets
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'The Golden Idol'
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(2) [6] American Bandstand

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) (4) [42] Basketball: University of Nevada- Las Vegas at Georgetown
(4) [5] [10] Painting Ceramics
(7) MOVIE: 'Return of Jack Slade'
12:30 (4) [5] [10] Quilting
(3) [13] What's Happening
1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Death Master'
(7) J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: Third Round from Largo, FL
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Fun In Acapulco'
(3) [13] Victory Garden
(7) Call of the West
2:00 (4) [5] [10] Advances in Health
(7) MOVIE: 'Gilt Along Little Dogies'
(3) [13] Hunter
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Black Beauty' Part 1
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(7) 700 Club

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Championship Wrestling
(4) [5] [10] Frugal Gourmet
(3) [13] Hee Haw
(7) [11] [21] Fame
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Laramie
(2) [6] Solid Gold
6:30 (4) [5] [10] On the Money (CC)
7:00 (3) (4) [42] Airwolf
(4) [5] [10] Woodwright's Shop
(3) [13] Diff'rent Strokes
(7) [11] [21] White Shadow
(7) NFL's Greatest Moments
(7) MOVIE: 'Good Sam'
(2) [6] Best Christmas Pageant Ever (CC)
(4) [5] [10] Wild America
(7) [11] [21] Double Trouble
(7) NFL's Greatest Moments
8:00 (3) (4) [42] Mickey Spillane's Mike Hammer
(4) [5] [10] Newton's Apple
(3) [13] Gimme A Break
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Black Beauty' Part 2
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(2) [6] Love Boat (CC)
(4) [5] [10] This Old House (CC)
(3) [13] Spencer
(4) [42] Cover-Up
(4) [5] [10] Mystery (CC)
(3) [13] Partners in Crime
(2) [6] Finder of Lost Loves (CC)
9:30 (7) Bill Cosby Show
10:00 (3) (4) [42] Sunbelt Basketball: Louisville Western Kentucky
(4) [5] [10] Brain (CC)
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'House of the Dead'
(7) David Putnam Outdoors
(3) [13] Saturday Night Live
(7) John Ankerberg
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Breaking Away'
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Ministry Special
11:30 (2) [6] College Basketball: Virginia at Duke
(7) Skies of Fire
12:00 (3) [13] Friday Night Videos
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Young Racers'
(3) [13] Tales of a Thief
12:30 (4) [42] Tracks & Facts
(2) [6] Championship Wrestling
(7) Zola Levitt
1:30 (3) (4) [42] New York Hot Tracks
(3) 17 SportsCenter
(7) Jewish Voice
(2) [6] Solid Gold
(7) J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: Third Round from Largo, FL
(7) Best of 700 Club
3:30 (7) Heritage Singers
4:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'The Kentuckian'
(7) SCCA Budweiser Trans-Am
(7) Westbrook Hospital
4:30 (3) 17 To Be Announced
(7) Newsight '84

**SUNDAY
12/9/84**

MORNING

5:00 (3) (7) College Basketball: Notre Dame at DePaul
(7) Ed Young
(2) [6] This is the Life
5:30 (3) [13] Sunday Report
(7) Larry King Live
(2) [6] Religion in the News
6:00 (3) (4) [42] It's Your Business
(3) [13] Conversation With...
(7) [11] [21] CNN Headline News
(7) Jimmy Swaggart
(2) [6] Expect a Miracle
6:30 (4) [42] Wall Street Journal
(3) [13] Meet the Ministers
(7) [11] [21] Birmingham Now
(2) [6] World Tomorrow
7:00 (4) [42] Phil Armstrong
(3) [13] His Word
(7) [11] [21] Living Word
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Dr. D. James Kennedy
(2) [6] Changed Lives
7:30 (4) [42] Strength for Today
(3) [13] Baptist Church
(7) [11] [21] James Robison
(7) NFL Game of the Week
(2) [6] E.J. Daniels
8:00 (4) [42] Sunday Morning
(3) [13] Catholic Mass
(7) [11] [21] Hour of Power
(7) College Basketball: Virginia at Duke
(7) Kenneth Copeland
(2) [6] Assembly of God
8:30 (3) [13] Methodist Church
(2) [6] Rex Humbard
9:00 (3) [13] MOVIE: 'Palm Springs Weekend'
(7) [11] [21] Expect a Miracle
(7) Lloyd Ogilvie
(2) [6] Jimmy Swaggart
(4) [42] Face the Nation
(7) [11] [21] Day of Discovery
(7) Davey & Goliath
10:00 (4) [42] At The Movies
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Abbott and Costello: Comin' 'Round the Mountain'
(7) Business Times on ESPN
(7) Superbook Club
(2) [6] Kenneth Copeland
10:30 (4) [42] World Tomorrow
11:00 (3) [13] Baptist Church
(3) [13] Meet the Press
(7) SportsCenter Plus
(7) Honey, Honey
(2) [6] Dr. D. James Kennedy
11:30 (3) [13] NFL '84
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'The Young People'
(7) World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
(7) Leo the Lion

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) (4) [42] NFL Football: Atlanta at Tampa Bay
(3) [13] NFL Football: Teams To Be Announced
(7) Flipper
(2) [6] This Week with David Brinkley
12:30 (7) Gentle Ben
1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'A Man Called Peter'
(3) 17 Professional Golf: J. C. Penny Classic
(7) MOVIE: 'The Outcast'
(2) [6] Little House on the Prairie
(4) [5] [10] Six-Gun Heroes
2:00 (2) [6] Little House on the Prairie
3:00 (3) (4) [42] NFL Football:

Washington at Dallas
(3) [13] Firing Line
(3) [13] MOVIE: 'McIntosh Man'
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Monkey Business'
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Final from Melbourne, Australia
(7) Wagon Train
(2) [6] Charlie's Angels
4:00 (4) (5) [10] Luciano Pavarotti in Concert at Madison Square Garden
(3) [13] Al McGuire's Pre-Season
(7) MOVIE: 'Hands Across the Border'
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
5:00 (3) [13] Sunday Report
(7) [11] [21] Bionic Woman
(3) 17 3rd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars
(7) MOVIE: 'Oliver Twist'
(2) [6] ABC News (CC)
(4) [5] [10] MOVIE: 'The Corn is Green'
(3) [13] NBC News
(2) [6] News

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] 60 Minutes
(3) [13] News
(7) [11] [21] Star Trek
(7) SportsCenter
(2) [6] Star Search
6:30 (4) [5] [10] Do-It-Yourself Show
(3) [13] Country
(7) Bill Cosby Show
(4) [42] Murder, She Wrote
7:00 (4) [5] [10] Austin City Limits
(3) [13] Knight Rider
(7) [11] [21] All-Star Wrestling
(3) 17 NFL's Greatest Moments: Best-Ever Professionals
(7) The Jack Is High
(2) [6] Hardcastle and McCormick (CC)
8:00 (3) (4) [42] All-Star Party for Lucille Ball
(4) [5] [10] Nature (CC)
(3) [13] MOVIE: 'The Sun Also Rises' Part 1
(7) [11] [21] National Finals Rodeo
(7) Super Bouts of the 80's
(7) In Touch
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Moonraker'
(3) (4) [42] Trapper John, M.D.
(4) [5] [10] Masterpiece Theatre
(3) 17 Super Bouts of the 70's
(7) Changed Lives
(7) Rock Church Proclaims
10:00 (3) (4) [42] Beverly Hillsbillies
(4) [42] CBS News Special with Luciano Pavarotti
(3) [13] News
(7) [11] [21] Rev. David Paul
(7) SportsCenter
(4) [42] CBS News
(3) [13] M*A*S*H
(7) Contact
10:30 (4) [42] Ernest Angley
(2) [6] News
11:00 (3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] Rev. David Paul
(7) High School Cheerleading Championships
(7) Larry Jones Ministry
11:15 (2) [6] MOVIE: 'Dollars'
11:30 (3) [13] I Take a Thief
(7) [11] [21] Rev. Ike Presents
(7) John Osteen
11:45 (3) (4) [42] Children Between Life and Death
(3) 17 Professional Golf: J. C. Penny Classic
(7) Wiping Away Their Tears
12:30 (3) [13] Phyllis
1:00 (3) [13] News
(7) Best of 700 Club
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Phiffit'
2:00 (7) SportsCenter
(7) CMESat
3:00 (7) World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
3:30 (2) [6] Entertainment This Week
4:00 (7) Prog Country
(7) Off the Air
4:30 (3) 17 SCCA Budweiser Trans-Am
(7) Another Life
(2) [6] Jimmy Swaggart

WEEKDAYS

MORNING

5:00 (3) (4) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(7) Business Times on ESPN
(7) A Study in the Word
(2) [6] Country Boy Eddie
5:15 (3) [13] News
5:30 (4) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(3) [13] NBC News at Sunrise
(7) Romper Room
6:00 (3) (4) [42] CBS Morning News
(3) [13] Today
(7) [11] [21] CNN Headline News
(7) Superbook
6:30 (7) [11] [21] Great Space Coaster
(2) [6] Flying House
(2) [6] ABC News This Morning
6:45 (2) [6] News
7:00 (7) [11] [21] Mighty Mouse
(7) Cartoons
(2) [6] Good Morning America
(4) [5] [10] Farm Day
(7) [11] [21] Flintstones
(7) Feeling Great
(4) [5] [10] Weather
(7) [11] [21] 700 Club
8:00 (3) [13] Instructional Programs
(3) [13] Hour Magazine
(7) [11] [21] My Favorite Martian
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Dobbie Gillis
(2) [6] Donue
8:30 (7) [11] [21] Brady Bunch
(7) Varied Programs
(7) Bachelor Father
9:00 (4) [42] New \$25,000 Pyramid
(3) [13] Divorce Court
(7) [11] [21] Movie
(7) 700 Club
(2) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
9:30 (3) (4) [42] Press Your Luck
(3) [13] Tattletales
(4) [42] Price Is Right
10:00 (3) [10] Electric Company
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(2) [6] All My Children
10:30 (4) [5] [10] Instructional Programs
(3) [13] Scrabble
(7) Another Life
11:00 (3) (4) [42] Young and the Restless
(4) [5] [10] Sesame Street (CC)
(3) [13] News
(7) [11] [21] Mason
(7) Varied Programs
(7) Pat Boone, USA
(2) [6] Laverne and Shirley
11:30 (3) [13] Search For Tomorrow
(2) [6] Ryan's Hope

AFTERNOON

12:00 (3) (4) [42] Beverly Hillsbillies
(4) [5] [10] Instructional Programs
(3) [13] Days of Our Lives
(7) [11] [21] Medical Center
(7) Ben Casey
(2) [6] News
12:30 (3) (4) [42] As the World Turns
(2) [6] Jeopardy
1:00 (3) [13] Another World
(7) [11] [21] Movie
(7) Varied Programs
(2) [6] One Life to Live
1:30 (4) [42] Capitol
(7) I Married Joan
(4) [42] Guiding Light
(3) [13] Santa Barbara
(2) [6] General Hospital
3:00 (4) [42] Body Language
(4) [42] Prime Time Live (CC)
(3) [13] Happy Days Again
(7) [11] [21] Woody Woodpecker
(7) Block Busters

(2) [6] Edge of Night
(3) [13] Love Connection
(3) [13] Three's Company
(7) [11] [21] Popeye
(7) Face the Music
(2) [6] Diff'rent Strokes
4:00 (3) (4) [42] Let's Make a Deal
(5) [10] Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
(3) [13] Alice
(7) [11] [21] Scooby Doo
(7) Tic Tac Dough
(2) [6] Dukes of Hazzard
4:30 (4) [42] People's Court
(4) [5] [10] Varied Programs
(3) [13] Jeffersons
(7) [11] [21] G.I. Joe
(3) [13] Card Sharks
5:00 (4) [42] Tic Tac Dough
(4) [5] [10] 3-2-1, Contact (CC)
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] Eight Is Enough
(7) Varied Programs
(7) Hot Potato
5:30 (3) (4) [42] CBS News
(4) [5] [10] Varied Programs
(3) [13] NBC News
(2) [6] ABC News (CC)

**MONDAY
12/10/84**

MORNING

8:00 (3) 17 SportsCenter
9:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Men In White'
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
10:30 (3) 17 World Cup Alpine Skiing
11:00 (3) 17 J.C. Penny Professional Golf Classic: Third Round from Largo, FL

AFTERNOON

1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Scott Free'
(3) 17 College Basketball: Virginia at Duke
3:00 (7) Super-Dunk Championship
3:30 (3) 17 College Basketball: Notre Dame at DePaul
5:30 (3) 17 Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Family Feud
(4) [5] [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(11) [21] CHiPs
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Here Come the Brides
6:30 (4) [42] Name That Tune
(4) [5] [10] Your Children Our Children
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(7) NFL's Greatest Moments
(2) [6] Entertainment Tonight
(4) [42] Scarcrow and Mrs. King
(4) [5] [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] Mickey's Christmas Carol
(7) [11] [21] Dallas
(7) Monday Night Match-Up
(7) Cisco Kid
(2) [6] NFL Football: Los Angeles Raiders at Detroit
7:30 (3) 17 NFL's Superstars
8:00 (4) [42] Kate & Allie
(4) [5] [10] Wonderworks (CC)
(3) [13] MOVIE: 'The Sun Also Rises' Conclusion
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Scrooge'
(7) Auto Racing: World Endurance - SCCA Super Vees
(3) [13] 700 Club
8:30 (4) [42] Newhart
9:00 (4) [42] Cagney and Lacey
(4) [5] [10] American Playhouse (CC)
(3) 17 Billiards: Trick Shots
9:30 (3) 17 3rd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars
(7) Together: Boones
10:00 (4) [42] Rituals
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] That's Incredible
(7) Bill Cosby Show
10:30 (4) [42] Simon & Simon
(3) [13] CHiPs
(7) [11] [21] Sanford and Son
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Best of Groucho
(2) [6] Benson
11:00 (3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'The Remarkable Mr. Penny-Packer'
(3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
(7) Burns & Allen
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
11:30 (4) [42] McKillan & Wife
(3) [13] Best of Carson
(7) NFL's Greatest Moments
(7) Love That Bob
12:00 (7) I Married Joan
(2) [6] Police Woman
12:30 (3) [13] Late Night with David Letterman
(7) Hang Gliding Around/World
(7) Dobbie Gillis
12:45 (4) [42] MOVIE: 'In Old Chicago'
1:00 (3) (4) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(7) Pistol Tournament
(7) Bachelor Father
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Phase IV'
(3) [13] Carol Burnett
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Blondie
2:00 (3) [13] News
(7) Unlimited Hydroplane Racing
(3) [13] 700 Club
2:45 (2) [6] Film
3:00 (3) 17 Vintage Football Film: The Great Years
3:30 (2) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
4:00 (3) [13] Super Run '84 10-Kilometer Race from Las Vegas, NV
(2) [6] News
(7) Another Life
(2) [6] Jimmy Swaggart

**TUESDAY
12/11/84**

MORNING

8:00 (3) 17 SportsCenter
8:30 (3) 17 1984 U. S. Triathlon Series
9:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'McClulloch'
9:30 (3) 17 Horseshow Jumping: Anheuser-Busch President's Cup
11:00 (3) 17 Professional Golf: J. C. Penny Classic

AFTERNOON

1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Swanee River'
(3) 17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Women's Final from Melbourne, Australia
3:00 (3) 17 NCAA Division II Women's Volleyball Championship from Portland, OR
4:30 (3) 17 Footy: The World's Roughest Game
5:30 (3) 17 Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Family Feud
(4) [5] [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(11) [21] CHiPs
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Here Come the Brides
(4) [42] Name That Tune
(4) [5] [10] Pet Action Line
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(7) Auto Racing: '84: Formula One - World Driving Championship
(2) [6] Entertainment Tonight
(4) [42] Charles in Charge
(4) [5] [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] Highway to Heaven
(7) [11] [21] Dallas
(2) [6] Fall Guy
(7) E/R
7:30 (2) [6] Police Woman
8:00 (4) [42] MOVIE: 'Blazing Saddles'
(4) [5] [10] Smithsonian World (CC)
(3) [13] Facts of Life (CC)
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Christmas Coal Mine Miracle'
(7) NFL Films
(7) 700 Club
(2) [6] Dynasty (CC)
8:30 (3) [13] It's Your Move
(7) NFL's Superstars
9:00 (4) [5] [10] An Evening of Championship Skiing
(3) [13] St. Elsewhere
(7) World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
(2) [6] Arthur Hailey's 'Hotel (CC)
9:30 (7) My Little Margie
10:00 (4) [42] Rituals
(4) [5] [10] Jazz Comes to Newport
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] That's Incredible
(7) Bill Cosby Show
10:30 (4) [42] Magnum P.I.
(3) [13] M*A*S*H
(7) [11] [21] Sanford and Son
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Best of Groucho
(2) [6] Benson
11:00 (3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'The Outcasts of Poker Flat'
(3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
(7) Burns & Allen
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
11:30 (3) (4) [42] MOVIE: 'Home to Stay'
(3) [13] Tonight Show
(7) ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
(7) Love That Bob

12:00 (3) 17 NCAA Division II Women's Volleyball Championship from Portland, OR
(7) I Married Joan
(2) [6] Police Woman
(3) [13] Late Night with David Letterman
(7) Dobbie Gillis
12:45 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Chad Hanna'
(4) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(7) Bachelor Father
(2) [6] MOVIE: 'Goliath Awaits' Part 1
1:30 (3) [13] Carol Burnett
(7) SportsCenter
(7) PKA Full Contact Karate: Light Middleweight Contenders Bout
3:00 (7) 700 Club
3:30 (2) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
4:00 (7) Amateur Boxing
(7) Ross Bagley
4:00 (7) Prog Cont'd
(2) [6] News
(7) Another Life
(2) [6] Jimmy Swaggart

**WEDNESDAY
12/12/84**

MORNING

8:00 (3) 17 SportsCenter
8:30 (3) 17 Best Kicks of '84 - PKA Full Contact Karate
9:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Slattery's Hurricane'
10:00 (3) 17 3rd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars
11:00 (3) 17 Top Rank Boxing

AFTERNOON

1:00 (7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Trouble for Two'
(7) Unlimited Hydroplane Racing
1:30 (3) 17 Auto Racing: World Endurance - SCCA Super Vees
3:30 (7) Professional Rodeo from Mesquite, TX
5:30 (3) 17 Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

6:00 (3) (4) [42] Family Feud
(4) [5] [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(11) [21] CHiPs
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Here Come the Brides
(4) [42] Name That Tune
(4) [5] [10] Motorweek
(3) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(7) Top Rank Boxing
(2) [6] Entertainment Tonight
7:00 (3) [42] Frosty the Snowman

(4) (5) [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] A-Team
(7) [11] [21] Dallas
(7) Gentle Ben
(2) [6] Three's A Crowd (CC)
7:30 (4) [42] 'Twas the Night Before Christmas
(2) [6] Who's the Boss? (CC)
(4) [42] MOVIE: 'Camille'
(4) [5] [10] Nova (CC)
(3) [13] Ripride
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'Silent Night, Lonely Night'
(7) 700 Club
(2) [6] Glitter (CC) (RETURN)
8:30 (3) [13] Super Bouts of the 70's
9:00 (4) [5] [10] Frontline (CC)
(3) [13] Remington Steele
(2) [6] Paper Dolls (CC)
(7) Super Bouts of the 80's
9:30 (7) Celebrity Chefs
(4) [42] Rituals
(4) [5] [10] The Constitution: That Delicate Balance (CC)
(3) [13] (7) (2) [6] News
(7) [11] [21] That's Incredible
(7) Bill Cosby Show
10:30 (3) (4) [42] Fall Guy
(3) [13] M*A*S*H
(7) [11] [21] Sanford and Son
(7) SportsCenter
(7) Best of Groucho
(2) [6] Benson
11:00 (3) [13] Barney Miller
(7) [11] [21] MOVIE: 'A Nice Little Bank That Should Be Robbed'
(3) 17 Mazda SportsLook
(7) Burns & Allen
(2) [6] Starksy and Hutch
11:30 (4) [42] Columbo
(3) [13] Tonight Show
(7) World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
(7) Love That Bob
12:00

Columbiana Middle honor roll listed

The following students have made the honor roll at Columbiana Middle School.

A honor roll- Sixth grade: Allison Leigh Campbell, Danette Renea Clifton, Jon Juzan Falkner, Holly Michelle Joiner, Corey Michelle Lyon, Albert Ryan Smith, Teresa Michele Talton, Angela Denise Vick, Stephanie Isbell.

Seventh grade: Brandi Carden, Veronica Lane Dupree, Jason Edward Elrod, Maresia Fay Horton, Tonya Leigh Staggs, Christopher Stricklin.

Eighth grade: Donna Gay Beasley, Angela Marie Bryant, Vickie Headley, Joanne Kennedy, Sherry Ann Lee, Cindy Lewis, Kristie Lee Moore, Marilyn Elaine Mundy, Elizabeth Payne, Susan Stone, Robert Scott Weaver, Teresa Ann White.

A-B honor roll-Sixth grade: Lori E. Archer, David Shane Armstrong, Lisa Lashawn Brown, Angela Nicole Conn, Mistie Virginia Connell, Jeff Mark Denny, Donald Falkner, Tera Marie Gowers, Gabriel Grace Graham, Terri Lynn Hor-

ton, Stephanie Isbell, Joshua B. Jones, Harvey Joe Lewis Frederick Mayfield, Gerald Paul McDonald, Patsy Anne Morris, Christopher Nash, Tara Sherron Owen, Michael Poe, Wendi Denise Ray, Meredith Robinson, John Christopher Rush, Tyrus Sockwell, III, Randy Allen Sturm, Jenny Traywick, Kevin Lamar Walker, Frederick Maurice Wood.

Seventh grade: Robin Renea Blankenship, Alice Marie Cole, Jodi Aleshia Davis, Monica Faye Davis, Jenelle Durrance, Leann

Humphries, Melinda Lawley, Janie Loyd, Shane Forest Merrell, Catherine Nicole Moore, Robby Patrick Odgers, Melanie Ann Ray, Terri Dawn Stewart, Cindy Lanett Willis.

Eighth grade: Dawn Cozina Atkinson, Sherrie Lynn Bailey, Aaron Bentley, Rux Leahy Bentley, Freda Louise Buie, Susan Amanda Davis, John Denny, Wendi Rachael Frawley, Kip Alfred Horton, Varena Jones, April Diane Linholm, Phillip Morgan Mann, Charity Dana Martin, Wendy Gail Moore, Tammy Jo Northcutt, Katrina Lynn Parnell, Robert Edgar Ray, Jason Christopher Reid, Franklin Sheffield, David John Smith, Jonathan Lee Walton, Brian Donnan Wilson, Cathy Yarbrough.

PHS utility bills run high

by Bert Seaman

A Shelby County schools energy conservation program that was in effect in recent years apparently failed to help the situation at Pelham High School.

Utility bills at Pelham range between \$11,000 and \$12,000 a month.

Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox told education board members Tuesday that representatives of Alabama Power Company have studied the situation and made recommendations.

He also said that an outside firm has been asked to make a study and to give the board a technical analysis of its findings.

One of the reasons for the high costs is that the school is total electric. Board president Barbara Whitman said that total electric was the only option available when the school was built.

In an effort to cut the costs, Glasscox said that bulbs have

been removed in some areas which did not need to be brightly lit. Ballasts to those lights are also being removed because they still draw current.

He also mentioned replacing the present lights with energy efficient bulbs.

After looking into a more efficient lighting system for the gym — used during the day and into the night — board's maintenance supervisor Owen Joiner said that the best lights seem to be high pressure sodium.

Electronic timers for the school's control systems was another suggestion for cutting down costs, and Glasscox said that architects were reviewing the school's duct work.

He said that even a slight change could add to the efficiency of the building.

In other matters:
•The board may finally be at the end of expenditures for the removal of asbestos. It approved

Reaves Construction Company to remove the potentially hazardous substance from beneath Montevallo High School.

The board had earlier approved another firm to do the work, but since the project was more extensive than was anticipated, the firm had to drop out. Reaves was the next low bidder at \$13,849.

Additional asbestos that was discovered under the Alice Boyd building adjacent to MHS will be handled as a change order, Glasscox said.

•The board agreed to purchase a 50x150 lot adjacent to Shelby County High School for \$5,300.

Until recently, Glasscox said the board thought it owned the lot.

There are plans to put the new SCHS field house on the property with a new band room on the other side of the street.

He said that the board may eventually ask the city council to close the street.

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Dr. Thomas M. Nolen, M.D.

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665-1731

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678-6176

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664-3713

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Pelham
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665-4256

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Lot 2 537 Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
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663-5950

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823-3100

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665-1255

Midfield Auto
506 Bessemer Super Hwy., Midfield
925-8479

Portera Motor Company
Pelham Industrial Park, Pelham
664-0160

Strickland Chevrolet
Hwy. 31 South, Pelham
664-1491

Strickland, Chrysler, Plymouth, & Dodge
Hwy. 31 South, Pelham
664-2585

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Aus Auto Parts (NAPA)
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1244

Austin Auto Parts
Hwy 31 No., Calera
668-2107

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Intersection 280 & 231, Harpersville
672-9690

Belbro Discount Auto Parts
Hwy 31 South, Pelham
663-1883 or 664-1884

Brown Auto Parts
County Rd. 304, Calera
668-2650

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113 16th Ave., Calera
668-1146

Harris Auto Parts
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-6582

Henry's Garage
Hwy 155, Calera
668-0849

Ken's Auto Parts
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-2990 or 663-2991

Slender Auto Parts
Alabaster
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678-8130

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663-7539

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664-2397

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Pelham
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666-1274

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231 Harpersville
672-7220

Golden Rule Barbecue
Pelham Plaza Shopping Center,
Pelham
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231 Harpersville
672-7220

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665-7736

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Main St., Calera
668-0633

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Across from Golden Rule Barbecue
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Columbiana
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Thompson honors listed

Thompson High School students have made the honor roll for the second six-weeks.

A honor roll- Ninth grade: Jade Acker, Brett Boutwell, Kelli Cates, Chris Herrick, Chris Perkins, Laurie Pike.

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Tenth grade: Kari Brown, Cristi Buchans, Lori Busby, Cris-ty Coggins, Ty Flanagan.

Eleventh grade: Michelle Childers, Amy Livengood, Jessica Smith.

Twelfth grade: Dannise

Buchans, Michelle Childers, Becca Cobb, Debbie Davis, Leslie Dennis, Sherri Hyde, Kristi Story, Ken Tatum.

A-B honor roll- Ninth grade: David Allen, Lee Arnold, Mike Barefoot, Lori Blackerby, Janette Booker, David Bowen, Tarra Cory, Gracie Cox, Leslie Deerman, Angela Eads, Stacy Farris, Brian Garner, Gregory Gore, Kim Hakes, Valerie Harris, Kelly Holcomb, Aaron Joy, Renea Littleton, Kriston Long, Bobbie Martin, Scott Newell, Janice Nolan, Connie Parker, Rakesh Patel, Eric Plier, John Pulliam, Richie Richardson, Timothy Smith, Pam Steele, David Walker, Keri Weston, Andrea Wilson, Amy Winford.

Tenth grade: Brent Armstrong,

Jeremy Browning, Scott Bush, James Clay, Devonna Crawford, Mark Giles, Kevin Griffin, Romona Griffith, Chris Hahn, Sheryl Harris, Amy Hooten, Gina Hoskins, Missy Honeycutt, Gayle Miller, Kevin Mulronney, James Oden, Shannon Parman, Byron Partridge, Susan Payne, Michael Poskey, Trisha Rand, Jacqueline Sands, Michelle Sides, Eugene Talley, Trestle Thorson, Hank Underwood, Sedric Warren, Donna Whaley, Jo Ellen Whitfield, Trey Woodroe, III.

Eleventh grade: Michelle Armstrong, Tracy Arnold, Amy Beck, Melissa Bloomer, Scott Brackin, Carla Carden, Linda Carroll, Cindy Collins, Shannon Colley, Heather Daniel, Troy Decker, Darrell Dowdell, Kaylan Dunlap, Gregory Glasscock, Mary Beth Gleason, Sonya Gunn, Terry Hafer, Jennifer Hale, LaDonna Hanscom, Jackie Harris, Dawn Jones, Micheala Kovalchick, Yvette Landry, Lori Mercer, Ray Nolen, Lisa Pickett, Melanie Posey, Renea Pouncy, Cindy Price, David Puckett, Barclay Simmons, Sherry Smitherman, Bill Stallings, Russell Templin, Andrea Wilson, Charles Wood, Lisa Wooley, JoAnna Wyers.

Twelfth grade: Angie Brothers, Joann Bullivant, Susy Burke, Tina Carter, Jvonne Coburn, Charlene Demoss, Mitch Edwards, Torunn Feragen, Rachael Finely, Doug Grater, Janet Gaiters, David Grill, Jennifer Hale, Kim Harris, Jenny Howard, Charlene Kirkland, Mike McClure, Tracy Moody, Conchetta Norris, Michele Pegusky, Kim Perkins, Matt

Pigan, Adam Plier, Frank Rand, Mickey Ray, Glenn Rickard, Lisa Stagner, Vicki Stanbridge, Melanie Stickler, Susan Templin, Gyl Tezak, Pam Vickery, Lisa Walton, Vanessa Warren, Steve Watson, Cathy Watts, Sharon Weaver.

Duncan elected SMA president

Jack Duncan, professor and associate dean of the Graduate School of Management in UAB's School of Business, was elected president of the Southern Management Association at the recent annual meeting in Orleans.

The SMA is composed of more than 600 teachers and managers primarily from the Southeast, and is one of five regional associations affiliated with the Academy of Management, of which Dr. Duncan is a fellow.

Dr. Duncan, who lives in Riverchase, has served the SMA for the last 10 years in a variety of

capacities, including member of the board of directors, treasurer, program vice president-designate, program vice president and president-elect.

He received his Ph.D degree from Louisiana State University, and has held visiting professorships in Switzerland and at Northeastern University in Boston. He serves as a lecturer in the School of Banking of the South at LSU.

Dr. Duncan is the author of six books and numerous articles on management and is a frequent consultant to businesses, health care organizations and government agencies.



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663-4292

Outboard Motor

Lay Marine Repair
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Clay's Painting & Decorating
Serving Shelby County Area
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Pet Grooming

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1410 A Montgomery Hwy
979-5046

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Columbiana Drug
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Cowan Drug Company
Hwy 31 So., Calera
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Next to City Hall
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Next to City Hall
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Dr. Allan Koplan
129 1st Street, Alabaster
Next to City Hall
663-3612

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664-2130

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KAREN G. MCDANIEL
...to wed George D. Corn Jr.

McDaniel, Corn tell of engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dill and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan H. McDonald announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Gail McDaniel to George Davis Corn, Jr.

Miss McDaniel is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ruthie Moore and the late Thomas A. Moore of Bessemer; and the late Mr. and Mrs. G.C. McDonald of Columbiana.

Mr. Corn is the son of George D. Corn of Jemison and Jerrie C. Corn of Alabaster, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Cunningham of Alabaster; and Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Corn of Birmingham.

A Dec. 7 wedding is planned. The reception will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dill of Alabaster.

All friends and family are welcome.



BOBBIE JO WALTON
...to wed Robert McMahon

Walton tells wedding plans

Bobbie Jo Walton and Robert Neil McMahon, Jr. are announcing their engagement.

Miss Walton is the daughter of Lois C. Walton and the late Robert (Bob) Walton, Jr. of Columbiana, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walton, Sr. of Columbiana.

She is a graduate of Shelby County High School, and is presently employed with Simco Inc. of Columbiana.

Mr. McMahon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neal McMahon, Sr. of Sylacauga, and the grandson of James R. McMahon and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gray, all of Sylacauga.

He is a graduate of Weogufka High School, and is presently employed with the Piping and Equipment Corp. of Pelham.

The wedding is planned for Dec. 21 at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Calera.



KELLIE ELAINE HARMON
...just arrived from Korea

Alabaster family gets new daughter

Kellie Elaine was born on July 2 in Korea. She arrived in Atlanta, GA on Oct. 23.

Kellie's new parents, Richard and Linda Harmon of Alabaster, were there with open arms to meet her when she arrived.

She is the Harmon's only child.

Social news

by Paula Seale

The 1964 graduating class of Thompson High School will sponsor a Toys for Tots drive and a party on Dec. 7.

For more information: Angela Purser 663-7363 or Pat Wood 663-6733.

Calera's annual Christmas parade will be Dec. 8 at 6 p.m.

The Parade will include floats, horses, bands and Santa Claus.

Anyone interested in participating in the parade should call 668-2253 or 668-0090.

Recently, the Progressive Homemakers Club met with June Storey.

The next meeting will be on Dec. 18 with Frances Blalock.

Anyone interested in becoming a member should call 669-7445.

ABC Daycare of Alabaster will be at the Briarcliff Nursing Home on Dec. 17 at 10 a.m.

They will sing songs and give out homemade cookies and fudge.

Happy birthday to Thomas

Grier on Dec. 5, and to Donald Joe Brantley of Pea Ridge on Dec. 6.

Congratulations to my niece, Tracy, on becoming a teenager! She will celebrate her 13th birthday on Dec. 7.

Many happy returns!

Charles H. Cox, Jr. (formerly of Chelsea) and Judy Cupp Cox (formerly of Calera) of Centerpoint announce the arrival of Charles Henry Cox III.

Chip was born on Nov. 23 and weighed 6 lbs. 5 oz.

He is the grandson of Mrs. Arthur G. Cupp, Jr. (Myrtle) of Calera; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Cox, Sr. of Chelsea and Mrs. Nancy Dennis Cox of Tennessee.

ATTENTION READERS: The Reporter has adopted a new policy concerning birthdays. We will accept birthday pictures with announcements, at no charge, up to age three,



Soft & cuddly

Christmas gift giving is on the minds of many Shelby Countians, and what better gift than something that is soft, cuddly, and loves you back. These kittens are among several currently

living at the Shelby County Humane Society, all of which need to be home for Christmas. (photo by K.A. Turner)

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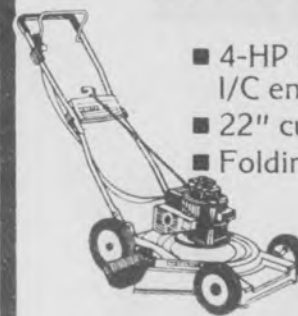
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Church news

by Paula Seale
Theo's Annual Bazaar will be held Dec. 8, at the Bold Springs Presbyterian Church, from 8:30 a.m. until...
The church is located on Hwy. 119 about two miles from U.S. 280.

Union Hill Church of Vandiver

will host its second Sunday afternoon singing on Dec. 9 at 2 p.m. Special guests will be the Gene Lowery Singers.
Rev. Jerry Wright cordially invites everyone to come.

There will be a Saturday night singing at the Old Chapel Methodist Church on Dec. 8 at 7

p.m.
The Cavaliers will be the guest singers.
The church is located between Columbiana and Wilsonville, just off State 25 on County 9.
"We want everyone to come and join us", said Dean Waldrop.

The Shelby Christian Women's Club will host a brunch open to the public on Dec. 11 beginning at 9:15 at the Riverchase Country Club.

The theme of this meeting is "Ye Olde Sweet Shoppe."
Reservations are necessary and the nursery is free. Deadline for reservations or cancellations (essential) is Dec. 7. Call Jeani 663-0399 or Janet 979-7322.

The First Baptist Church of Vincent will have its Christmas Fellowship dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 12 at 6:30 p.m., and on Dec. 13 they will be making preparations for Christmas for the needy.

K-Springs Church of God will show a Billy Graham film "The Living Word" at 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 9.

The church is located two miles south of Chelsea on County 39.
"The public is cordially invited," said Rev. Russell Whitener.

The First Baptist Church of Alabaster is keeping Christ in Christmas with varied ministries it will be performing during December.

The following is a list of planned activities:

•There will be a live nativity scene on Dec. 17 & 18, from 7 p.m. til 8:30 p.m.

•The combined youth choir (grades 6 thru college, with youth ensemble The Followers) will perform, the Christmas story, "The Reason For The Season," on Dec. 9.

•"Unto Us A Child Is Born" (Christmas music for Festival Choir) will be performed by the Sanctuary Choir and Pageantry on Dec. 16 at 7 p.m.

•On Wednesday night, December 19, the choir will sing Christmas carols to the area's shut-ins.

The church will provide Christmas for ten families with food, clothes and toys for the children on Dec. 23.

Holiday House on display in Chelsea

Holiday House is in the making. From 1-6 p.m., Dec. 14, 15 and 16, Mrs. Theron Holcombe will have on display three Christmas trees for kids of all ages and many handmade decorations.

There will be a \$1 donation accepted at the door, and Mrs. Holcombe will have her handcrafted decorations for sale. Proceeds from donations and sales will benefit heart and cancer research.

Mrs. Holcombe is a lifelong native of Shelby County and has resided in Chelsea for many years. Her home is on County Road 47 near the Chelsea Post Office.

Signs point to the Holiday House. For more information: 678-6625

Local death notices

ANNIE GOODE

Annie Goode, 76, of Wilsonville, died on Nov. 28.

She is survived by her daughters, Wynelle Borders of Birmingham, Joanne Jones of Florida, and Gail Moore and Patricia Simms, both of Westover; sons, Lemuel Goode of Wilsonville and Joseph Goode of Arkansas; 21 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Mount Tabor on Nov. 29 with interment at the adjoining cemetery.

HATTIE BELLE COMER

Hattie Comer, 87, of Calera, died at Riverchase Health Care on Dec. 2.

She is survived by her son, Ellis Gentry of Calera; daughters, Icie Seale of Columbiana, and Lucille Nolan of Florida; one sister; three brothers; five grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Bolton-Brown Service Chapel on Dec. 4 with interment at Union Cemetery. The Rev. Wayne Horton officiated.

WILLIAM D. LOWERY, SR.

William Lowery, Sr., 79, of Montevallo, died at Shelby Medical Center on Nov. 30.

He is survived by his wife, Margie Lowery; daughter, W. White of Childersburg; son, William Lowery, Jr. of Shelby; brother, Bester Lowery; 10 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Bethlehem Baptist Church on Dec. 2, with interment at Spring Creek Cemetery.

ELIAS ELLISON

Ninety-three year old Elias Ellison, of Calera, died at Shelby Medical Center on Nov. 30.

He is survived by his daughter;

several nieces, nephews and grandchildren.

The funeral services were held at Shiloh Baptist Church on Dec. 2 with interment at Old Rock Springs Cemetery.

THOMAS C. BERRYHILL

Thomas C. Berryhill, 56, of Harpersville, died November 25 at St. Clair County Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Geneva Berryhill; sons, Ricky Berryhill of Birmingham, and Phil Berryhill of Vincent; a stepson, Buddy Gibson of Harpersville; step-daughters, Brenda Davis of Harpersville, and Debbie Lee of Birmingham; brothers, Willis Berryhill of Harpersville, and James P. Berryhill of Arkansas; sisters, Dean Carroll and Bonnie Davis of Vincent, and Ruth Vincent of North Carolina; two grandchildren and seven step-grandchildren.

Mr. Berryhill was a member of the Mason's Bently Lodge 607, Eastern Star Chapter 241 of Vincent, and he was a deacon of Arkwright Baptist Church in Harpersville.

Funeral services were held Nov. 28 at Arkwright Baptist Church of Harpersville, with interment at the adjoining cemetery.

The pallbearers were the deacons of Arkwright Baptist Church: Glenn Alexander, Jack Snyder, Autrey Sewell, Thermon Wallace, Charles Brown, and James Foster.

Honorary Pallbearers were The Mason's Bently Lodge. The Rev. Rick Siskey officiated.

WILLIAM A. ADAMS

William Adams, 64, of Pelham, died at St. Vincent's Hospital on Nov. 29.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude C. Adams of Pelham; mother, Pearl Adams of Calera; sisters, Edna Carmichael of Birmingham, and Joy Owens of Calera; and a brother, Jimmy

Adams of Anniston.

Mr. Williams was retired from the Jefferson County Sheriff's Department.

Funeral services were held at Bolton-Brown Service Chapel on Nov. 30 with interment at Jefferson Memorial Cemetery.

RUBY LEE BRADLEY

Ruby Bradley, 72, of Wilsonville, died at Shelby Medical Center on Nov. 29.

She is survived by her husband, Whitson Bradley; daughters, Melba Parsons of Mobile, and Judy Blankenship of Shelby; sisters, Helen Bradley of Columbiana, Myrtle Crumpton of Mobile, and Gertrude Edwards of Calera; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Bethel Baptist Church on Dec. 1, with interment at Pine Lawn Cemetery.

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(2) Card of Thanks

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Ollie and Minnie Woodruff

The family of Carey O. Winslett would, especially, like to thank Mr. Edward Lightsey (who did not appear in the card of thanks written for the Nov. 29 edition) for being so kind and sympathetic during our recent bereavement.

With Love
Yerna, Gary and Mark

(3) In Memory

In loving Memory of Walter Brasher
December 5, 1982

Though two years have passed, you are not forgotten, nor will you ever be, as long as memory lasts we will remember you.

We will miss you more as time goes by. No one can ever take your place.

LOVE,
Eloise, Richard, Wanda & Jeremy

(4) Cemetery lots, flowers

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(5) SPECIAL NOTICES

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(6) Lost & Found

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HELP WANTED: Shipping/receiving - some instrument repair, must be mechanically inclined. Pelham area. Send Resume to P.O. Box 175, Pelham, 35214. 12-6c.

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SMC pastors: listening ears

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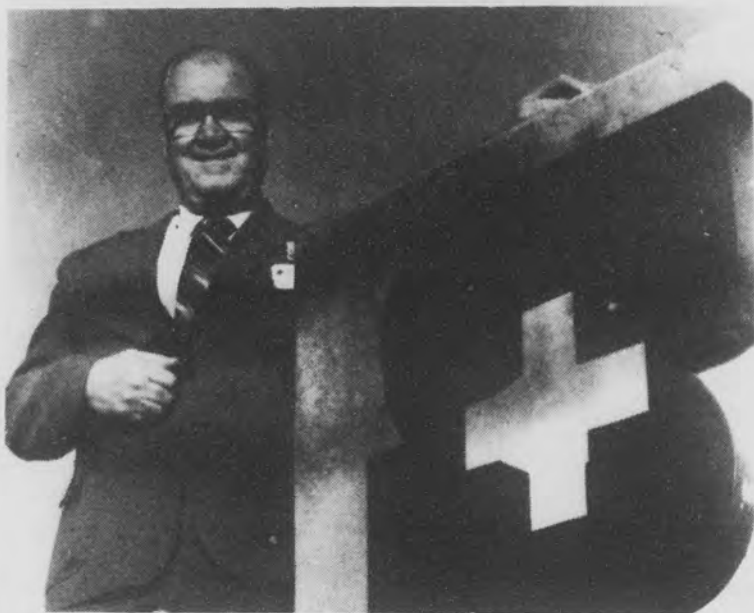
In any illness, the healing process can be spiritual as well as physical.

At Shelby Medical Center the doctors and staff see to the physical needs of patients. Volunteer chaplains, who are members of SMC's chaplaincy program, take care of the spiritual needs.

The chaplaincy program is comprised of 14 Shelby County ministers who volunteer their time to provide counseling and spiritual support to patients, and their families.

"We are available for anything, any time," said Carl Thomason, pastor of Grace Baptist Church in Saginaw, one of the leaders in the program.

"On a daily basis, the emphasis is on seeing the patients scheduled for surgery, and the ones that have just been admitted. We also periodically check in at the Emergency Department and answer any codes (an alert that there is a critical patient) in case we are needed to minister to the families."



REV. CARL THOMASON
... part of hospital chaplain group

The Rev. Thomason said the program is non-denominational. The chaplains introduce themselves only as hospital chaplains and do not try to promote their own churches or denominations.

"Our visits are very brief. We find out the patient's needs, and pray with them if they like," he said. "Most hospital patients don't feel like talking much, so we try not to stay long."

The main objective of the visit is to learn if the patient's personal pastor is aware the patient is hospitalized. If not, the hospital chaplains will contact him and anyone else the patient requests. If the patient does not have a pastor, the chaplains let him know their services are available should they be desired.

The chaplaincy program provides a spiritual support system for patients and their families, said the Rev. David Wallace of the First Baptist Church in Pelham, another volunteer. "The program represents one of the most critical needs for the patient and family during a hospital stay."

He said hospital ministry is especially important in emergency situations where an automobile accident or heart attack can be devastating to a family.

"The best thing we can offer in these situations is immediate support. Often the people are not able to reach their minister at that time. We are available and physically present to be with them," Wallace said.

Many times people who are traveling through the area find themselves in the hospital emergency room because of an accident or sudden illness. Miles from home, they have no family ties or family support.

At times like these, the chaplains have become the sole family support for these people. They offer comfort, spiritual guidance and, when necessary, they work with the hospital's social services department to provide financial aid. Often lasting relationships are born of such circumstances.

"The key in that particular situation is the sensitivity that one must have. You learn to celebrate with the families when there's good news, and you also can identify with their pain in tragedy," the Rev. Wallace said.

Tragedy and death is something a hospital chaplain must face regularly.

"On too many occasions, we have had to counsel with families that have lost a loved one. It is the hardest counseling to face," said the Rev. Shelton Reeves, of Northside Baptist Church in Calera.

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Book whiz

Stephanie Bailey, a third grader at Elvin Hill Elementary, read 35 books in two weeks to win the recent Cystic Fibrosis Read-A-Thon at the Columbiana Public Library. With pledges of 10 cents a page, she read 1,520 pages to collect \$152 towards CF research. Her efforts won her a book from Columbiana librarian Barbara Roberts, as well other prizes - including an AM-FM radio with headphones - from the CF Foundation. (photo by David F. Moore)

Nunnelley graduates 11

Eleven Shelby County students graduated Nov. 21 from the fall quarter at Nunnelley State Technical College.

Earning degrees in such things as accounting, auto mechanics, secretarial technology, practical nursing and electronics technology were:

Lynn Mann of Wilsonville, Marilyn Green of Vincent, Peggy Jo Salter of Columbiana, Ronald Ross and Ramona Caldwell of Shelby, Donna Brasher of Vandiver, Gary Spates of Harpersville, Mary Alice Mims and Lenice Moore of Chelsea, Carla Smith of Montevallo, and Ettice Slaughter of Calera.

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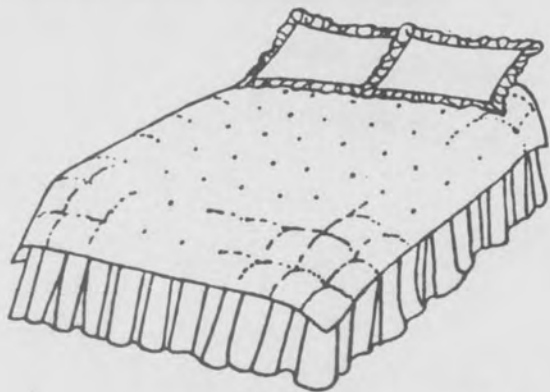
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Chaplains

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The chaplains consider this an important part of the program — however hard it may be. Many times they are able to console the family members and help them come to grips with their loss.

The chaplaincy program at SMC was established two years ago through the efforts of several local ministers and hospital social services director Cathy Saviski. Originally, there were 20 participating ministers, but because of growing ministries and transfers the number has dwindled to 14.

The Rev. Thomason said that despite the dwindling number of ministers, the program has received tremendous support from SMC.

"There's a personal touch here that you don't find any place else," he said. "In a hospital, it's unheard of for a doctor to call a preacher and ask him to visit a patient, but last week one of them had his secretary call me to be sure I knew a patient I had visited had been moved to IMC."

"Recently, another doctor paged a chaplain to have him talk with a patient that had cancer. The doctors and nurses work with the program," Thomason said.

"The doctors handle all the information to the family, but we are able to assure them that the doctors and staff here are of high caliber, and their loved one is getting care that is as good as they can get at any hospital in Birmingham," said Charles Inman, pastor of Westwood Baptist Church in Alabaster.

When nationally famous singer Norma Zimmer was hospitalized last summer because of an accident, she was considering transferring to another hospital. Rev. Inman was able to assure her that she was getting good care.

"I don't know if I was the one who convinced her, but she stayed," he said.

The chaplaincy program is also available to the staff at SMC, and many times the personnel turn to the chaplains for help in coping with the high-pressure demands of their jobs.

"They feel a real loss sometimes when they are unable to revive a patient, or when something just didn't turn out the way they wished it had," the Rev. Wallace said.

"In traumatic situations involving staff members we can provide a time of sharing where they can talk about their feelings and are able to say, 'We care too.'"

Because there are only 14 members, the chaplains are only able to be at the hospital during the morning, but a chaplain is on call around the clock and can be called in at any time.

"It doesn't have to be an emergency. Anytime a chaplain's needed, even if it's just to talk, all a patient has to do is tell his nurse and she will contact the chaplain on call," said Thomason.

Sometimes, though, a patient does not know the chaplain on call, and requests the minister that made the initial visit, as Rev. James Walden of Central Freewill Baptist Church in Alabaster found recently. He was called in one night by a patient who remembered him from his visit.

"She just needed someone to talk to so I sat with her until after 11 p.m. and just listened," he said.

There is a need for more volunteers to help in the chaplaincy program, Thomason said. Members give as much time as they can, but because of busy ministries of their own, there is a limit to what they can do.

More ministers would mean that the needs of more people — patients and staff — could be met.

Recently, the chaplains moved their office to a new location near the hospital emergency department.

There they plan the morning's activities and quietly weave their net of spiritual support for

the patients and staff of Shelby Medical Center.

"Sometimes all we can offer is love and concern, but sometimes that is what's most important," said the Rev. Wallace. "A listening ear can be a valuable thing."

SMC chaplains listed

The following is a list of ministers which participate in the chaplaincy program at SMC:

Carl Thomason, Grace Baptist, Saginaw; David Wallace, First Baptist, Pelham; Charles Inman, Westwood Baptist, Alabaster; Shelton Reeves, Northside Baptist, Calera;

James Walden, Central Freewill Baptist, Alabaster; Tom Hammonds, First United Methodist, Alabaster; Richard Cunningham, Mt. Olive Baptist, Alabaster; Russell

Whitner, K Springs Church of God, Chelsea;

Bill Heaton, Helena Baptist, Helena; Wayne Crumpton, First Baptist, Alabaster; James Chesnutt, Columbiana United Methodist; Wayne Anderson, Riverchase South Church of God; James Adams Rock Zion Baptist, Pell City; Thomas Higgins, Lester's Chapel United Methodist, Columbiana; Richard Bryant, Wilton Baptist.

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Cancer Society raises \$22,500

Sybel Brindley, chairman of the Shelby County chapter of the American Cancer Society, said that the recently concluded fund raising drive met this year's goal of \$22,500.

And she reports that one group has already begun working toward meeting next year's goal of \$24,000.

Chi Omega sorority at the

University of Montevallo has raised \$500 on the 'Send a Mouse to College' project.

Students and faculty were asked to contribute 87 cents to purchase a mouse to be used by colleges working on cancer research.

Brindley said that students in the Shelby County school system will also be asked to contribute to the 'mouse' project next year.

Other local events which raise money for cancer research include: a bike-a-thon, a walk-run-jog-a-thon and golf tournaments.

Brindley said that an estimated 258 Shelby Countians have cancer and that 217 new cases were predicted during 1984.

However, through cancer research, "we hope to be able to save at least 81 of those people,"

Brindley said.

In trying to educate youth and adults about the disease, the American Cancer Society has made 1,928 contacts with schools and adult education programs.

During the past year, Brindley said that 2,348 youth had either seen a film or some literature on the disease.

Chelsea High honor roll listed

Chelsea High School announces the honor roll for the second six-weeks.

A honor roll-Sixth grade: Rodney Fulton, George Griswold, Davy Ingram, Patricia Johnson, Tracy Price, Michelle Morgan.

Seventh grade: Tracey Blackerby, Wayne Fant, Stacey Gordon, Neal Hutchens, Randy Mann, Jennifer Nelson, Chesley Niven, Michael Roberts, Staci Thrasher, Tiffany Satterwhite.

Eighth grade: Jonathan Brown, Deana Coleman, Mark Newman, Jewelie Whitner.

Ninth grade: Linda Barker, Brian Brasher, Shayne Gill, Robin Nelson.

Tenth grade: Angela Brasher, Bradley Brasher, Monica Brasher, Shill-Lee Burdett, Mary Calyton, Tony Hefner, Glynn Hutchens, Samuel Niven, Janice Salsor, Stephanie Wilson.

Eleventh grade: Ronald Hefner, Valinda Kirkland.

Twelfth grade: Michael Fant, Kimberly Isbell, Walter Tatum, Julia Terzin.

A-B honor roll-Sixth grade: Kimberly Bradley, Gary Brasher, Andrew Edwards, Sheila Gullledge, Joseph Knight, Dustin Merrill, Valeria Peck, Vicky Scoggins, Farred Stamps, Bryan Weldon.

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ship, Bridgette Davis, Janet Isbell, Carmel Jones, Daniel Montgomery, Donald Powers, John Sexton, Stacy Whatley.

Eighth grade: Rebecca Crawford, Wendy Massey.

Ninth grade: Adam Isbell, Kay Robershaw, Meredith Sherrell, Tamara Whitaker.

Tenth grade: Loretta Adams, Torrie Bradberry, Frankie Bradley, Cari Brasher Teresa Dorrough, Wendy Duncan, Sherry Gerald, Sheri Goodwin, Lisa Gullledge, Tracey McDaniel, Gary Moore, Cassie Nelson, Greg Norton, Jamie Trimble, Tonia Whatley, Cynthia Williams.

Eleventh grade: Carolyn Alexander, Mark Burnett, Reba Fulton, Helen Garlington, Lamar Isbell, Denise Mason, Suzanne

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Thompson teams finish second

by K.A. Turner

Two Thompson youth football teams - the 95-pound Warriors and the 120-pound Warriors - finished as runners-up in their divisions in recent state championship action. The second places finishes were the highest ever recorded by Thompson youth teams.

The 95-pounders drew a bye in the first round of competition, then defeated Leeds 14-13 in overtime before dropping their championship game 13-7 to Centerpoint.

The 120-pounders took a 20-6 win over Huntsville and a 13-0 win over Eastern Valley before dropping the final game to Ensley, 13-6.

In the 95-pound Warriors' game with Leeds, Eric Kendrick scored to give Thompson an early lead. Brian Young passed to Patrick Wooten for the extra point, the first of two crucial PATs the duo would record during the game.

Leeds scored and the game ended in a 7-7 tie.

In overtime, Mark Macaulay scored for Thompson, but Leeds scored, too. The second Young to Wooten extra point made the difference, and Thompson advanced to the finals.

Captains for that game were Isaac Lewis and Brian Young.

In the final, the 95-pounder again grabbed an early lead, as Young passed to PeeWee Stoudmiere for a TD. He then passed to Wooten for the PAT that gave Thompson a 7-0 lead.

Centerpoint scored twice, however, to win.

As the game ended, Thompson had a first and goal on the Centerpoint ten, but time ended before the team could score again.

Captains for the game were Lewis, Brian Tucker and Jeff Webb, who missed the game because of a broken arm.

The 120-pound Warriors forced two errors by Eastern Valley that made the difference in their first game.

Jimbo Nipper blocked an Eastern Valley punt and Jason

Stonicher returned it for a touchdown. Alan Barefoot added the PAT.

Brian Bunn got the second Thompson score after the Warrior defense recovered a fumble.

In the final, Ensley scored on two long passes to take a first half lead of 13-0. The Warriors

did not allow any more points, but could only manage six second-half points against the Ensley defense.

That fourth quarter score came when Brady Thames passed to Barry Duke, a 29-yard play that carried to the Centerpoint two. Duke got the TD on a dive play.

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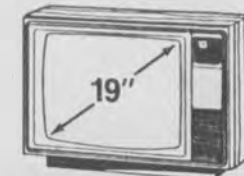


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The Regressive Farmer

by David F. Moore

Two of the ways you can fight fire is with water, and with more fire. Semi-likewise, there are two ways to fight fire ants. The right way, and, naturally, the wrong way. (See Remedial Logic 101 to follow this line of thinking...)

Like fire, fire ants are both dangerous, destructive, and hot to the touch. If you've got them around your house, you probably ought to sound the bugle, run up the flag, and go to war.

As you march into battle (there's a television commercial about fire ants that just kills me) have no fear, for the Regressive Farmer marches with you. Make that right behind you. I don't want to be the one to get fire ants all over me.

ALL SERIOUSNESS ASIDE: Like a lot of people in Shelby County, I've got fire ants around the house. Personally, I haven't done much about them, and much of what I have done has been wrong.

For starts, I didn't even realize that the ants we have at the house are fire ants until extension agents Grant Gober and John Jones stopped by the office last week.

"You got ants?" they asked.

"Yeah, I've got ants," I said in answer to a question. "Several. There's Aunt Maude, Aunt Julie, Aunt Esther..."

"No! Fire ants!"

"Oh, no," I said. "We just have regular ol' red ants."

"Do they dig into the ground, or do they build mounds about 18 inches tall?" John asked.

"Well, they live in these tall things sorta like high rise condos. Little

balconies off each unit. Several floors for parking..."

"You've got (dum-de-dum-dum) fire ants," Grant said.

Oh no!

I recalled reading lately where a former state legislator was killed on his farm by fire ants. John said that the mounds also tear up lawn mowers and farm equipment if you run over them.

WHO YOU GONNA' CALL? ANT BUSTERS! During the summer I had made semi-serious efforts to get rid of what I thought were just basic little red ants. Usually, I stirred up the mounds with a stick — then ran like crazy.

Sometimes, I'd even kick the mounds, sending ants flying.

Smart guy.

Jim Parks, who owns the newspaper, presented me with a funky little gun the other day that he proclaimed to be the ultimate weapon in the war against bugs and such critters. It's a neat little contraption, a spring loaded, round, fly swatter that shoots out and swats things.

We trotted out in the field by the house, aimed the flying swatter gun at a fire ant condo, and pulled the trigger. It barely penetrated the mound.

In fact, we had to shoot several times to even get the sleepy little buggers mad. Even then, all that happened was that the fire ant mayor, or whatever they have, waved his fist out a hole and told us to bug off.

When we shot again an army ran out and chased us away.

"Why don't you just spray DDT all over the place," Jim suggested, showing why he's not a farmer either. "That'll teach 'em."

UNCLE AMDR0 WANTS YOU: There is a good way to get rid of fire ants, John and Grant said. It's called Amdro, but it costs almost as much as gold or cocaine: roughly \$9-\$10 per pound.

But people who act now can sign up for anticipated spring deliveries of Amdro which will be government subsidized. USDA and the state department of agriculture and industry are picking up most of the tab. Those that sign up before Dec. 13 (that's next Thursday) can get it for 60 cents a pound, or \$15 for a 25 pound bag, the smallest amount being offered by the program.

They said there's no guarantee that the county will get all it orders, and the chemical will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis.

One pound of the stuff treats one acre, so you can figure it from there. (Use a calculator if necessary...) If you have less than 25 acres, you might want to split it with a friend.

"Amdro is the best general material for killing fire ants," Grant said.

"There's a lot of chemicals, but they're not cleared to be used around the house and farm," John said.

They said arrangements have been made so that those desiring to get on the list can do so at the following places:

- Acker Farm Center, Montevallo
- Coosa Valley Milling Co., Wilsonville
- Mid-State Farmers Cooperative, Columbiana
- Mitchell Feed & Grain, Alabaster.

If you've got fire ants — rather they've been a problem yet, or not — this sounds like a good opportunity to prepare for war in the spring when all those sleepy little fellows wake up and get mad and hungry. If nothing else, Amdro is a lot quieter than using hand grenades.



WRONG!

There's a right way and wrong way to fight fire ants. Not surprisingly, the Regressive Farmer started out on the wrong foot, using a bug buster gun contraption that when it finally penetrated the fire ant condo, did nothing but make them mad. Those desiring to wage war properly with the dangerous little critters can sign up for a subsidized Amdro program before Dec. 13. (photo by Jim Parks)

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Chelsea Elementary announces honor roll

Chelsea Elementary School lists honor students.

A honor roll:

•Second grade: Susan Batton, Donnn Bevan, Marissa Griswold, Jessica Kerley, Rikki Pickett, Brad Short, Jennifer Smith, Holli Watts, Avery Wilson.

•Third grade: Sandy Brasher, Stacy Drake, Jonathan Edwards, Kim Gunnarson, Windy Lang, Amanda Sherrell, Angie Whitener.

•Fourth grade: Crystal Blackerby, Melissa Smith.

A-B honor roll:

•Second grade: Windie Alexander, Randy Bullock, Kimberly Clackley, Jarred Davis, Janet Epperson, Alicia Johnson, Kristy Kelton, Rebecca Kratz, Gina Lynn, David Mahaffey, Mandie Miller, Tony Morrow, Jmes Prestridge, Keith Shirley, Angela Singleton, Janis Wallis, Carol White.

•Third grade: Amanda Anderson, Sandy Argo, Eddie Bonds, Melody Evans, Maggie Galamore, Chris Goodwin, Nicole Grubbs, Brandon Hann, Bradley Hyde, Windi Ingram, Joe Isbell, Matt Moore, Ronnie Pair, Angela Parker, Kandy Salvo, Candy Shirley, Scott Ziegler.

•Fourth grade: Jason Bailey, Brandy Bradberry, Patty Champion, Amber Culpepper, Lacy Davis, Shea Davis, Dawn Dobbs, Amy Epperson, Tracy Jones;

Danny Mann, Casie Miller, Joseph Moore, Richard Powers, Sandra Prestridge, Jonathan Reynolds, Marianne Robinson, Jonathan Rush, Jessica Stokes, Kristi Welborn, Bryan Wilson.

•Fifth grade: John Michael Alford, Peggy Champion, Tammy Cox, D.K. Jacobs, Christy Lynn, Jakki Nichols, Cindy Salser, Brandon Thrasher.



Wally's Cafe

Back by popular demand, "Wally's Cafe" returns to the Celebrity Dinner Theatre for the month of December. Following its successful Broadway run, dinner theatres across the country are making the comedy a first production choice this season. "Wally's Cafe" first played the Celebrity Dinner Theatre in July.

Theatre serves comedy

Young Wally Murdock of New Jersey travels West seeking his fortune through the purchase of a hamburger shaped cafe located in the desert. The cafe's shape is such that it can hardly be seen from the road.

Thus, the stage is set for Celebrity Dinner Theatre's production of the comedy play, "Wally's Cafe."

Wally's wife, Louise, joins him and is horrified at the thought of nothing but sand, coyotes and a cafe that can't be seen from the old highway. Wally says a new highway will soon come through and make them rich.

Enter Janet. On her way to seek stardom in Hollywood,

she decides to stay for for a while. The rich comedy has a delightful ending, and will be run through Dec. 31.

It stars Joanie Long as Louise (seen in Celebrity's "Divorce Southern Style," "Pool's Paradise," and "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest"), Mark Gordon (Alex Felix in "Play It Again, Sam," and last month as Fred in "I Love You... And Now the Eveing News") and Maggie Murphy (from Celebrity's first "Wally's Cafe").

The theatre is located in U.S. 31 in Vestavia. Cocktails are served at 6 p.m., dinner at 6:30, and the show starts at 8:15. For reservations: 823-3000. (advertisement)

TV shows farm problems

"Tenders of A Dream", a documentary produced by University of Alabama Television Services, will focus on the problems associated with the gradual reduction of small and mediu-sized farms in Alabama.

The documentary will air 8 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 6 on the Alabama Public Television Network. It will be followed at 9 p.m. with a live, 60-minute discussion of the problems raised in the program. During this forum, a panel will take telephoned questions from viewers. The panel will include three university professors, a farmer and a U.S. Department of Agriculture official.

The program and discussion will be broadcast locally on

WBIQ-TV channel 10 in Birmingham. (See the "A" section of the Reporter for complete, weekly television listings.)

Recordkeeping workshop set

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The Regressive Farmer

by David F. Moore

Two of the ways you can fight fire is with water, and with more fire. Semi-likewise, there are two ways to fight fire ants. The right way, and, naturally, the wrong way. (See Remedial Logic 101 to follow this line of thinking...)

Like fire, fire ants are both dangerous, destructive, and hot to the touch. If you've got them around your house, you probably ought to sound the bugle, run up the flag, and go to war.

As you march into battle (there's a television commercial about fire ants that just kills me) have no fear, for the Regressive Farmer marches with you. Make that right behind you. I don't want to be the one to get fire ants all over me.

ALL SERIOUSNESS ASIDE: Like a lot of people in Shelby County, I've got fire ants around the house. Personally, I haven't done much about them, and much of what I have done has been wrong.

For starts, I didn't even realize that the ants we have at the house are fire ants until extension agents Grant Gober and John Jones stopped by the office last week.

"You got ants?" they asked.

"Yeah, I've got ants," I said in answer to a question. "Several. There's Aunt Maude, Aunt Julie, Aunt Esther..."

"No! Fire ants!"

"Oh, no," I said. "We just have regular ol' red ants."

"Do they dig into the ground, or do they build mounds about 18 inches tall?" John asked.

"Well, they live in these tall things sorta like high rise condos. Little

balconies off each unit. Several floors for parking..."

"You've got (dum-de-dum-dum) fire ants," Grant said.

Oh no!

I recalled reading lately where a former state legislator was killed on his farm by fire ants. John said that the mounds also tear up lawn mowers and farm equipment if you run over them.

WHO YOU GONNA' CALL? ANT BUSTERS!: During the summer I had made semi-serious efforts to get rid of what I thought were just basic little red ants. Usually, I stirred up the mounds with a stick — then ran like crazy.

Sometimes, I'd even kick the mounds, sending ants flying.

Smart guy.

Jim Parks, who owns the newspaper, presented me with a funky little gun the other day that he proclaimed to be the ultimate weapon in the war against bugs and such critters. It's a neat little contraption, a spring loaded, round, fly swatter that shoots out and swats things.

We trotted out in the field by the house, aimed the flying swatter gun at a fire ant condo, and pulled the trigger. It barely penetrated the mound.

In fact, we had to shoot several times to even get the sleepy little buggers mad. Even then, all that happened was that the fire ant mayor, or whatever they have, waved his fist out a hole and told us to bug off.

When we shot again an army ran out and chased us away.

"Why don't you just spray DDT all over the place," Jim suggested, showing why he's not a farmer either. "That'll teach 'em."

UNCLE AMDRO WANTS YOU: There is a good way to get rid of fire ants, John and Grant said. It's called Amdro, but it costs almost as much as gold or cocaine; roughly \$9-\$10 per pound.

But people who act now can sign up for anticipated spring deliveries of Amdro which will be government subsidized. USDA and the state department of agriculture and industry are picking up most of the tab. Those that sign up before Dec. 13 (that's next Thursday) can get it for 60 cents a pound, or \$15 for a 25 pound bag, the smallest amount being offered by the program.

They said there's no guarantee that the county will get all its orders, and the chemical will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis.

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- Acker Farm Center, Montevallo
- Coosa Valley Milling Co., Wilsonville
- Mid-State Farmers Cooperative, Columbiana
- Mitchell Feed & Grain, Alabaster.

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WRONG!

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Chelsea Elementary announces honor roll

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A honor roll:

•Second grade: Susan Batton, Donnn Bevan, Marissa Griswold, Jessica Kerley, Rikki Pickett, Brad Short, Jennifer Smith, Holli Watts, Avery Wilson.

•Third grade: Sandy Brasher, Stacy Drake, Jonathan Edwards, Kim Gunnarson, Windy Lang, Amanda Sherrell, Angie Whitener.

•Fourth grade: Crystal Blackerby, Melissa Smith.

A-B honor roll:

•Second grade: Windie Alexander, Randy Bullock, Kimberly Clackley, Jarred Davis, Janet Epperson, Alicia Johnson, Kristy Kelton, Rebecca Kratz, Gina Lynn, David Mahaffey, Mandie Miller, Tony Morrow, Jmes Prestidge, Keith Shirley, Angela Singleton, Janis Wallis, Carol White.

•Third grade: Amanda Anderson, Sandy Argo, Eddie Bonds, Melody Evans, Maggie Galamore, Chris Goodwin, Nicole Grubbs, Brandon Hann, Bradley Hyde, Windi Ingram, Joe Isbell, Matt Moore, Ronnie Pair, Angela Parker, Kandy Salvo, Candy Shirley, Scott Ziegler.

•Fourth grade: Jason Bailey, Brandy Bradberry, Patty Champion, Amber Culpepper, Lacy Davis, Shea Davis, Dawn Dobbs, Amy Epperson, Tracy Jones;

Danny Mann, Casie Miller, Joseph Moore, Richard Powers, Sandra Prestidge, Jonathan Reynolds, Marianne Robinson, Jonathan Rush, Jessica Stokes, Kristi Welborn, Bryan Wilson.

•Fifth grade: John Michael Alford, Peggy Champion, Tammy Cox, D.K. Jacobs, Christy Lynn, Jakki Nichols, Cindy Salser, Brandon Thrasher.



Wally's Cafe

Back by popular demand, "Wally's Cafe" returns to the Celebrity Dinner Theatre for the month of December. Following its successful Broadway run, dinner theatres across the country are making the comedy a first production choice this season. "Wally's Cafe" first played the Celebrity Dinner Theatre in July.

Theatre serves comedy

Young Wally Murdock of New Jersey travels West seeking his fortune through the purchase of a hamburger shaped cafe located in the desert. The cafe's shape is such that it can hardly be seen from the road.

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Wally's wife, Louise, joins him and is horrified at the thought of nothing but sand, coyotes and a cafe that can't be seen from the old highway. Wally says a new highway will soon come through and make them rich.

Enter Janet. On her way to seek stardom in Hollywood,

she decides to stay for for a while. The rich comedy has a delightful ending, and will be run through Dec. 31.

It stars Joanie Long as Louise (seen in Celebrity's "Divorce Southern Style," "Pool's Paradise," and "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest"), Mark Gordon (Alex Felix in "Play It Again, Sam," and last month as Fred in "I Love You... And Now the Eveing News") and Maggie Murphy (from Celebrity's first "Wally's Cafe").

The theatre is located in U.S. 31 in Vestavia. Cocktails are served at 6 p.m., dinner at 6:30, and the show starts at 8:15. For reservations: 823-3000. (advertisement)

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TV shows farm problems

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The documentary will air 8 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 6 on the Alabama Public Television Network. It will be followed at 9 p.m. with a live, 60-minute discussion of the problems raised in the program. During this forum, a panel will take telephoned questions from viewers. The panel will include three university professors, a farmer and a U.S. Department of Agriculture official.

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Hwy 31 663-9632 Pelham

Pelham lists honor students

Pelham High School announces the second six-weeks' honor roll.

A honor roll:

•Ninth grade: Anne Cassidy, Jenny Stevens.

•Tenth grade: Susan Brubaker, Jeffrey Davis, Tammy Deshazo, Ralph Noble, Michael Walker, Brad Youngblood.

•Eleventh grade: James Grimes, Sabra Hardcastle, Stephen Higdon, Maikie King, Chester Lilly, Jason Otts, Kimberly Temple, Richard Wilkerson.

•Twelfth grade: Leslie Coble, Kristi Hicks, Steven Johnson, Suzanne Kane, Carolyn Thomas, Douglas Walker, Sam Williams.

A-B honor roll:

•Ninth grade: Allison Barnes, Barbie Booth, Joseph Booth, Leigh Brackett, Charles Brooks, Jr., Samuel Chestnut, Michelle Colvin, Lee Comer, Jr., Deanna Cooper, James Coyle, IV, Debra Depiano, Jody Drake, Cheryl Harris, Carol Johnson, Carviss Jones, Samuel Jones; Betsey Kingsley, Melissa Lawson, Sharon Russell, Leslie Ryder, David Rye, Elizabeth Sawyers, Elaine Smith, William

Swinney, Darin Young.

•Tenth grade: Lisa Bates, Alanna Bohannon, Kenneth Boyer, Frankie Bramlett, Amy Brantley, Michelle Bryan, Gregory Coble, Jan Connor; Eileen Cooper, Cindy Cowan, Wayne Crow, Tiffany Egge, Tracy Florand, Ashley Ford, Caroline Glenn, Jennifer Gorman;

Shelly Groenke, Charlie Hall, Alan Harrell, Melanie Harris, Micoh Harwell, Tina Hulsey, Kimberly Jackson, Tonya Jenkins; Stephanie Kincaid, Stephen Levan, Jamie Manasco, Julie McAlevy, Denise Parker, Jennifer Pass, John Phillips, Melissa Pierce;

Christy Powell, Lisa Roberts, Donna Rutledge, Bart Scott, Vivian Smith, Mary Thomas, David Turner, T.Y. Tyree, Larry Hor, Sharolyn Wells, Melissa Wildman.

•Eleventh grade: Timothy Atkins, Randy Brown, Newton Chalker, Darla Cowart, Sue Deboer, Melody Dunnaway, Joe Gerald, Marietta Glover, Darren Hudson, Adrienne Hurgeton, Rodney Jensen, Christopher

King, Carrie Maier, Abner Powell, IV, Michael Richard, Stacey Slay;

David Smith Michael Smith, Cherie Thomas, Marla Traywick, Kile Turner.

•Twelfth grade: Cynthia Adams, Rex Bittle, Laura Boyer, Amy Cleveland, Delene Cox, Michelle Fishman, Tammy Grimes, Candice Holley;

Larry Jackson, Stephanie Jones, Andrea Lindenburg, Glenn Martin, Yonna Nobles, Kathalina Ralls, Jennifer Reddings;

Billie Reynolds, Libby Rodgers, Paul Routten, Tracy Sanders, Kimberly Smith, Rebecca Whitfield, Mildred Williams, John Wood, Cheryl Wynne, Otis Youngblood.

Top Vincent students

The following Vincent Middle School students have made the honor roll.

A honor roll- Sixth grade: Jimmy Courington, Steven Jordan, Bryan Prince, Cheryl Sanders, Michael Walker.

Seventh grade: Wayne Barber, Angela Davis, James Earl Gibson, Sherri Phillips.

Eighth grade: Angie Champion.

A-B honor roll- Sixth grade: Jermaine Banks, Deanne Burns, Altonette Datcher, Tamece Davis, Shannon Guber, Michelle Hampton, Earl Kidd, Byron Kilgore, Justin Martin, Scott Powers, Patrick Swain, Delbert Threatt, Charmaine Thomas.

Seventh grade: Leah Brasher, Jennifer Densen, Jerry Dyer, Wendy Fleming, Lemuel Goss, David Hill, Jason Hill, Juanita Kern, Andrea Lawson.

Eighth grade: Paul Davis, Rydell Davis, Dewayne Dawson, Elizabeth Ford, Daniel Grizzle, Perry Hall, Jennifer Lowe, Nick Lynn, Sharon Roper, Jennifer Watson.

Vincent High School also announces honor roll students for the second six-weeks.

A honor roll- Ninth grade: Jerry Brisky.

Tenth grade: Jeana Davis, Sabrina Roper, Douglas Singleton, Lea Anne Smith, Brenda Sykes.

Eleventh grade: Joey Aldridge,

Russell Campbell, Terence Datcher, Tina Green, Mary Hicks, Triston Keller, April Lee, Sheila McCrimon.

Twelfth grade: Denise Brasher, Rhonda Carter, Sonya Davis, Barbara Mead.

A-B honor roll- Ninth grade: Clarence Carter, Frank Carter, Jr., Kelvin Datcher, Kimberly Garrett, Tonia Hardy, Linda Hicks, Timothy Jones, Adrian McCrimon, Tonya Salter, Donna Taylor, Argela Wallace.

Tenth grade: Michele Eckes, Rod Hinds, Lora Hollis, Bridgette Jordan, Todd McGuire, Belinda Partridge, Peggy Sue Peacock, Theoangelo Perkins, Ricky Tilley.

Eleventh grade: Gary Alexander, Clark Dates, Lynn Ellison, Tammy Gardiner, Theresa Greenleaf, Tamiko Kelly, Tracy Kelley, James Kern, Hugh Kidd, Jacqueline Kidd, Walter Lawson, Bridget Middleton, John Powers, Hope Reynolds, Glenn Robertson, Dawn Rushing, Lawanda Wallace, Scott White, Harlan Whitfield.

Twelfth grade: Joy Garrett, Sandra Henderson, Quincy Jordan, Charles Kimbrel, Jr., Amy Tyler, Mike Weldon.

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At Montevallo, we like to say we are preparing graduates for their LAST jobs—not just their first ones. That's certainly been the case of the members of the Fall Class of 1984. As they soon join in the long procession of Montevallo men and women who have preceded them since 1896, UM faculty and staff feel confident in saying MISSION ACCOMPLISHED.

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Eastern Europe recipes

Serve up surprises for your Christmas guests

Marcia Sears

Eastern Europeans know how to cook well, and on a recent trip we found several dishes that are different from everyday American fare. Poles, like the Hungarians, cook with a lavish hand, almost as though they had invented the saying, "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow..."

The Polish Press organization put on an elaborate reception for visiting journalists: tiny canapes with ham, sausage balls, and decorated fish tidbits.

Two other foods from the reception were so unusual that I thought I'd pass them along for hostesses who want to give their holiday guests a surprise.

The first was a filling served in eggshells, and was heavily flavored with dill. The shells made a novel serving idea.

After the party had been going on for about an hour, a waiter appeared with the second surprise: small cups filled with a steaming brown liquid. No, not coffee, but strong clear borscht. Its tang cleared the palate and steadied the unsteady.

Americans are divided in their opinion about borscht, but I know several who thought it was just right that night.

I did not get the recipes, since I was supposed to be keeping my mind on politics and gross national product, but after a little experimenting at home, I came up with ways to make them (see recipes below).

The Czechs have a novel idea for a dinner's first course. Our hotel in Prague served chopped vegetable salads in the shells of sweet red and green peppers. You ate pepper and all. Potato or pasta salads would be good that way, too.

A popular salad was made of fresh vegetables, grated separately, and served side by side. The choice was from cucumber, cabbage, carrots and beets.

Roe deer is a treat not available here, but Shelby County hunters might enjoy roasting their venison in shish-ke-bob style as the Polish do, interspersing the squares of meat with onions and streak-o-lean.

Pork and veal are more common than beef, and are prepared in many imaginative ways.

Climate forbids the raising of citrus in this part of the world, and little is imported because of the cost. The standard juices are made from pears, apples and apricots which we saw growing in profusion.

For desserts, it's hard to beat the Hungarians, who keep importing chocolate regardless of their foreign currency problems. Their pastries are even better than Austria's Sacher torte.

They serve crepes smothered with chocolate sauce and flamed with brandy.

The Yugoslavs will do that too, but they vary the recipe by folding fruit preserves inside the crepe and dusting it with sugar.

A dessert that kept reappearing in every menu from Warsaw and East Berlin to Bucharest was a fruit sauce poured over ice cream. Apples, pears and grapes were the fruits used. The dessert was called a coupe, and that word was followed by the name of the city or hotel. I call my recipe Coupe Dubrovnik, because that was the last city on the trip.

Dill and Mushrooms in Eggshells

Prepare 12 eggshells: Tap side of small or medium egg until a small crack forms. With kitchen scissors, cut away half of the shell. Empty egg into dish. Set aside one egg for use in this recipe. Use others for something else. In skillet or saucepan gently boil empty eggshells for a few minutes to cook any egg white that remains. Wipe clean. Then prepare filling:

- 1/4 c. butter
- 1 c. mushrooms, chopped
- 1 c. cabbage, shredded
- 2 teaspoons dill weed
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 1/4 c. Pepperidge Farm herb stuffing
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 c. chicken broth, or 1 c. water with 1 teaspoon chicken bullion

Melt butter in saucepan. Add mushrooms, cabbage, dill weed and pepper. Saute about 3 min. Add remaining ingredients and cook gently, stirring, until mixture thickens - about 2-3 min. Taste for flavor. Spoon into prepared eggshells, top with additional dill weed.

May be kept overnight in refrigerator and reheated before serving in microwave or conventional oven. Serve warm with small forks. This recipe could be Americanized by adding shrimp or crabmeat and a dash of Tabasco.

Clear Borscht

- 1 c. shredded cabbage
- 1 c. shredded carrots
- 1 medium onion
- 2 cups water
- 1 can beef broth (14 1/2 oz.)
- 1/2 c. beet juice (use the liquid from canned beets)
- 1/4 c. tomato juice
- 2 tablespoons vinegar (yes, vinegar)
- 1 teaspoon beef bouillon, if needed, to intensify flavor.

Gently boil cabbage, carrots and onion in water until vegetables are soft. Drain liquid into measuring cup. You should have about 3/4 c. Vegetables may be used for something else. Mix liquid with all the other ingredients and simmer for a few minutes. Taste and correct flavor. This should be enough for 12 to 15 demitasse cups. Serve hot, about 30 minutes to an hour after the beginning of a cocktail party.

Coupe Dubrovnik

- 2 c. sugar
- 1/2 c. water
- 1 1/2 c. chopped apples
- 1 1/2 c. chopped pears
- 1 c. white or tokay grapes, seeded and halved
- Lemon juice

Boil sugar and water until sugar is dissolved. Add apples and pears and boil gently until tender. Add grapes. Add 1 teaspoon lemon juice and taste. Add more if you like. Cool. Spoon vanilla or peach ice cream into sundae dish. Spoon fruit syrup over. Top with whipped cream and a grape.

Editor's note: Marcia and Ralph Sears, former owners of the Shelby County Reporter, recently toured behind the Iron Curtain as part of a seven-nation mission study sponsored by the National Newspaper Association. This is last of a four part series on tour.



Taste of Europe

A display of foods prepared in the manner of Eastern European kitchens shows (top tier, circle from left): Czechoslovakian first course - chopped vegetables in sweet pepper shells; Polish appetizer - dill and mushroom stuffing in eggshells; hot borscht in demitasse cups to drink after cocktails; (lower tier) shredded vegetables served as salads, or in Czechoslovakia, at breakfast; crepes filled with preserves, and crepes covered with chocolate sauce, a Hungarian favorite. Marcia Sears of Montevallo adds dessert with a coupe, pouring a sweet fruit sauce over ice cream, a popular dessert in all the Warsaw Pact countries. (photo by Ralph Sears)

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Heine joins Reporter

Cartoonist communicates with humor

by David F. Moore

To some people, a cartoon is simply a drawn out joke. To John Heine, a cartoon is a form of communication that incorporates humor.

Even though he thrives on the humor, Heine who joined the Shelby County Reporter staff as a political cartoonist, says he takes his profession seriously.

"I love humor - whether it's silly, black humor or ironic - and I seem to always want to tie humor into the point I'm trying to make," he says. "Humor is the common denominator."

Heine, 34, was born in Washington D.C., but lived in the south all his life.

While attending W.A. Berry High School in South Jefferson County, he made his career decision between joining the CIA and becoming a cartoonist. After graduating in 1969, he studied art and philosophy ("A real good combination of studies if you want to get rich...") for three

years at the University of Montevallo.

In 1973, his cartoon strip "Maya" was syndicated nationally in newspapers by Publishers Hall Syndicate, which handled Dennis the Menace, Big

George, Andy Capp, Apartment 3-G and others, and which later merged with Field Enterprises.

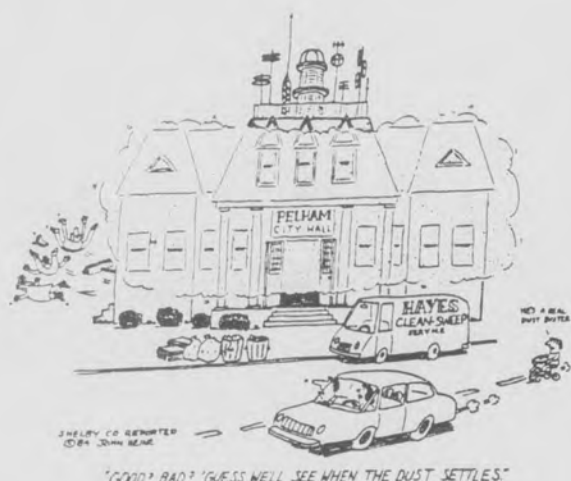
"It was ahead of it's time," Heine says of the three-month life of Maya. "I think it was a bit too philosophical."



JOHN HEINE AND HIS SELF-CARICATURE
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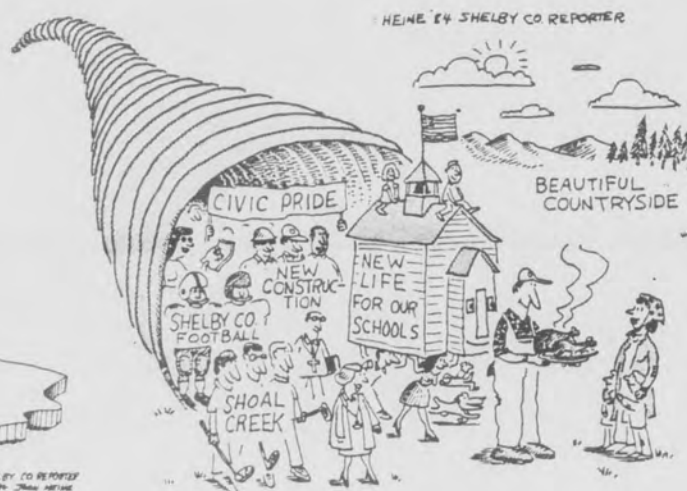
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Since then, his cartoons have been published in National Lampoon, Saturday Evening Post, and he has sold a line of greeting cards to Recycled Paper Products, a national line of greeting cards.

He worked two years for "Take One" newspaper in Nashville, TN, where he was staff cartoonist. In 1981 he returned to Birmingham where he continued his education at UAB.

All the time he continued his cartooning on a free lance basis, and works in a custom frame shop "to make ends meet."

"There was a time I seriously considered getting out of cartooning, but I stayed with it. Going with the Reporter has been a real spark to me," he says. "It's something concrete."

The idea behind the cartoons - the sixth of which appears on Page A-4 of this week's newspaper - come about through what Heine calls "brain-storming" sessions with the Reporter editorial staff (and whoever else is around).

These sessions usually take place on Mondays. After a long thought process, Heine spends about three hours on the actual drawing, which appears in the following week's edition.

"It's a responsibility to stick your neck out and make a point. With thousands of people seeing the cartoons, it adds to the sense of responsibility to do them with integrity - or as much integrity as I can get away with," Heine laughs.

Prior to adding Heine to the staff, the Reporter ran syndicated political cartoon by Montgomery cartoonist John Crawford. The cartoons dealt with statewide or national issues, but did not directly address issues in Shelby County.

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T S armed men rob Saginaw Post Office

by Bert Seaman

Two men walked into the Saginaw Post Office Monday afternoon and asked to buy a stamp.

The next thing Postmaster Maurine Hoagland knew, the men were pointing revolvers at her and demanding cash.

After getting the undisclosed amount of money, the two men fled. As of presstime Tuesday, they had not been apprehended.

Sheriff Buddy Glasgow was the first person to arrive on the scene following the robbery. He was assisted in securing the crime scene by Alabaster policeman Wayne Holcombe.

The reason no one in the post office saw the getaway vehicle, said Shelby County sheriff's investigator Sgt. Tom Barnes, was because the robbers threatened to blow anyone to pieces who came outside after the robbery.

Barnes said that tire tracks led him to believe the men, who were black, had parked their vehicle alongside the road close to the post office prior to the robbery.

He said that a row of trees would have hidden the vehicle from the view of anyone inside the building.

Barnes asked that anyone who noticed a vehicle parked around 3 p.m. between the rock house and the post office on U.S. 31, to call the Sheriff's department. (669-4181)

He said a reward could be offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those involved in the robbery.

Barnes and Alabaster police lieutenant Larry Rollan are working with U.S. postal inspectors on the case.



'I love a parade'

Some 400 parade lovers turned out Saturday for the annual Helena Christmas Parade. While these four spectators — Jason Mims, Shannon and Misty Whitfield and Jeffrey Mims, all of Maylene — are obviously having a good time, their expres-

sions would seem to indicate that there is more than one way to love a parade. (See related story and pictures on Pages A-12 and A-13.) (photo by Dawn Mims)

Liquor policy adopted

by David F. Moore

In the wake of protests and controversies, the Shelby County Commission is now requiring future liquor license applicants to advertised their request in the newspapers.

The regulation was passed at Monday's commission meeting at the suggestion of ABC agent Flin Suther. Commissioner Harold Davenport also moved that off-premise liquor license requests also be accompanied by a written statement from the sheriff's department on problems or potential problems that might arise if a store was granted the license.

The commission agreed to having future liquor requests published in the legal sections of the Shelby County Reporter and the Birmingham News, prior to taking any action on the matters.

In light of the new proposals, two off-premise liquor requests in Shelby were again tabled, this time until the January 14 meeting. The commission said the time was necessary for Suther to check out 10 percent of the names on three petitions dealing with the Shelby request.

It will also allow Suther time to interview all residents within a half-mile radius of the stores

seeking the license.

Attorney Harry Lyon said his client, Buddy Rhinehart, one of the applicants, had "a 100 percent positive record" in regards to any problems with the legal sale of beer and wine which he now sells from his store in Shelby.

The Rev. W.C. Tuten protested the granting of liquor licenses on moral grounds, specifically in Shelby and at a new convenience store being built at U.S. 31 and State 70.

Suther said the ABC board can override any action taking by the county commission in granting

See BOOZE, Page A-2

McCombs resigns SMC board

by David F. Moore

For the third time this year, a board member has resigned from Shelby Medical Center.

Charles McCombs stated his resignation, effectively immediately, in a letter dated Dec. 5, and sent to Shelby County Commission Chairman Tommy Snowden, SMC board chairman Jerome Turner, and commissioner Jake Morris.

Morris appointed McCombs

about one and half years ago to fill the unexpired term of Russell Seay, who resigned because of health problems. McCombs term was due to expire in next March.

Morris, who will leave office himself in January, said Monday that he does not want to appoint someone to serve for only three months. He indicated that before he took any action on the matter, he would talk with incoming commissioner Gregg Rushton.

"From the time of my appointment, it has been my desire to serve with the board as a group of people working for the people of this county," McCombs wrote in his resignation. "Due to the situation which now exists, I do not feel that I can any longer serve."

McCombs, who operates a trucking line out of Calera, has not attended a monthly board

See McCOMBS, Page A-9

News briefs

Bearden reception set

In 1929, Ned Bearden and his father started a dairy farm in the Helena/Pelham area. Since that time, Bearden has been involved in numerous aspects in the development of Shelby County, as a prominent banker, an education board member, a county commissioner and agricultural leader.

Those who have come to know him over the years - and many have - are invited to attend an open house retirement reception from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 19, at SouthTrust Bank in Alabaster.

Bearden retired as Chairman of the Board of the First Bank of Alabaster, has remained active with company to help in its merger in October with SouthTrust Bank of Alabama.



NED BEARDEN
...retiring from banking

Early deadlines set

Shelby County Reporter will observe an early printing schedule for the December 27 edition because Christmas falls on Tuesday, our normal printing day.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles for the Dec. 27 X-tra Section is 5 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 19.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles, including social news and classified ads for the A-Section (main news section) is 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 20.

We ask that our advertisers and readers to cooperate with this holiday schedule.

Normal news and advertising deadlines will be observed for December 20 edition.

Weather

The National Weather Service is predicting gradually cooling temperatures Thursday through Saturday, with scattered showers and thunder showers forecast on Thursday.

Thursday's temperatures are expected to range between the mid-40's for low and mid-60's for high.

Friday will be cooler with a chance of rain mainly South. Temperatures Friday and Saturday should range between the upper-30's for low to mid-50's for high.

Columbiana to get 40 new apartments

by Bert Seaman

If everything goes as expected, Columbiana will be getting a new apartment complex.

The Columbiana Council paved the way for the new apartments when it voted last Thursday to change the zoning from single family (R-1) to multi-family (R-3) in the area where the apartments will be built.

The recommendation to rezone the property came from the city's planning and zoning board.

Columbiana Mayor Buck Falkner said that the four-acre building site owned by Harry 'Bub' Gordon is located on the State 25 by-pass near Brown Lumber Company.

An entrance to the 40 unit complex will be off State 25.

Falkner said that Huff Investments from Auburn chose Columbiana as one of its 28 construction sites in the state.

Presently, the firm is working through the Farmers Home Administration to get the project approved.

See APARTMENTS, Page A-2

Montevallo doles out \$62,312

by Bert Seaman

Revenue sharing funds have made it possible for roof repair on Montevallo City Hall, street repair work, a new city map and improvements at the Montevallo football field.

Those were some of the projects the council agreed to fund with the \$62,312.50 the city received this year.

But at a November council meeting, \$104,600 worth of requests were made for 12 projects.

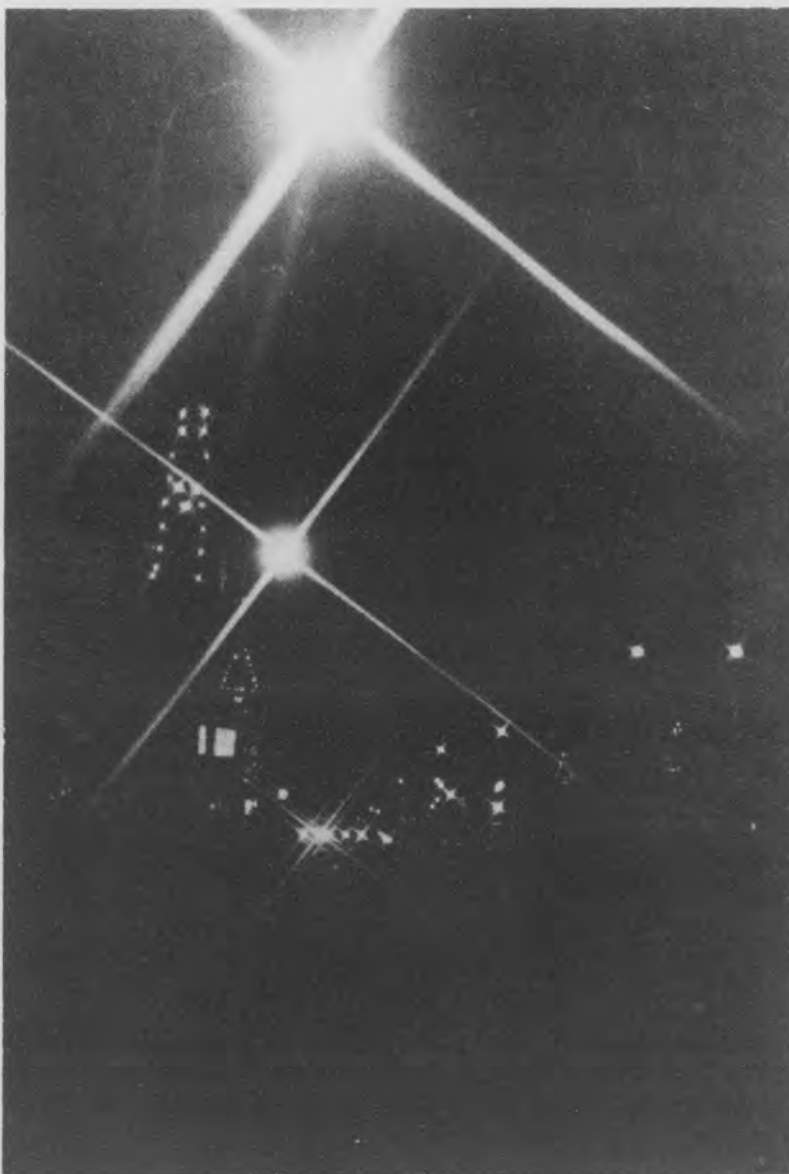
Tuesday night, the council agreed to totally fund six of those projects; three partially fund three, and not fund the remaining three.

In order to fund what they considered more pressing needs, the council did not provide \$10,200 for additional computers for the public schools; \$10,000 on a future fire truck; \$3,500 to complete gas lines in the Shoal Creek area.

But the council felt that relocating the police station in the old library building and moving the inspection office into city hall was worth spending money on.

Mayor pro tem J.A. Brown

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Christmas parade

Calera Mayor George Roy and his council led the city's Christmas parade into town Saturday evening with Santa Claus bringing up the rear. In between were floats, high school bands and two national guard tanks. The parade was sponsored by the PTA. (Photo by Hugh Wilson)

Chelsea looks for new PO

With an increasing number of people moving to the Chelsea area, the post office there has outgrown the building on the corner of County 47 South and 39.

Postmaster Frances Rawlings, who assumed her position in October, said that the U.S. Postal Service is asking for offers to lease space in an existing building or a newly constructed building.

She explained that the postal service has an open advertising program which does not call for a public bid opening.

Prospective bidders should submit bids no later than Jan. 7, Rawlings said.

In order to meet the demands of growth, Rawlings said the building had to have approximately 1,830 square feet of ground level floor space plus additional outside areas.

Rawlings said that Postal Service wants to locate the building inside an area bounded on the north by U.S. 280, on the east by County 39, on the south by the Seaboard Coastline Railroad and on the west by old U.S. 280.

For more information: (901) 722-7377.

Booze

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the license, but has taken the general attitude of following the sentiment of area residents.

A local bill passed last year by the legislature prohibits more than one private package store in a five-mile radius.

However, county attorney Frank "Butch" Ellis, who sponsored the bill as state senator, said it had been changed in the drafting by the ABC Board so that it also affected establishments such as country clubs. The bill, he said, would be amended next year.

Because of the problems with the law, the commissioners tabled a request for a lounge license for Sportsplex, a private club being constructed on U.S. 280.

Ellis and commissioner John Ames indicated that it was not the intent of the law to curtail economic development.

Residents and pastors from the Four Mile community expressed concern over rumors that Off Road Westover, a mud racing facility on County 55, was seeking a lounge license, and was

already advertising BYOB (bring your own bottle) parties.

Commissioner Leo Archer said he understood that because the land was private property, liquor could be brought onto it. He said he was unaware of any move to seek a lounge license there, but would notify residents if one was applied for.

Davenport tabled a request for an off-premise license for a store south of Montevallo. He refused a license for a club on State 25 which had been turned down last month, and had reapplied under a different name.

In other matters:

A spokesman for Mountain Brook Cable told the commission that television hookups should be available for some unserved portions of Meadow Brook and Broken Bow by February.

He said that development in the ninth sector of Meadow Brook and the back part of Broken Bow, and that the high cost of stringing the cable and the low number of residents in those immediate areas had hampered the work.

Apartments

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While the council had no hesitancy in accepting the planning and zoning board's recommendation to rezone the property site, it did disagree with the board's recommendation on mobile homes.

Last month the council drew up a mobile home ordinance and sent it to the board for their recommendation. But the board made changes in the ordinance that the council would not go along with.

In making his report to the council Thursday, planning board chairman Charles Tidwell said that mobile homes would be allowed anywhere in town providing the individual owned the property.

That was contrary to the council's proposal, which said that mobile homes could only be placed in the southwest section of the city.

"I don't want mobile homes parked all over Columbiana and I don't feel that the people of this city want that either," said councilman William Rasco.

He said that at least a dozen citizens had called him and voiced that opinion. Councilmen Harold McCord, Frank Owen and Willard Cross said that they had also received a number of calls.

Columbiana resident and businessman Jim Strickland, who was at the meeting on another matter (see related story on Page A-3), said that he thought the solution was to put mobile homes in designated mobile home parks.

He suggested that certain exceptions might be made at a later date for families who needed to move sick or elderly members close by in order to care for them.

Tidwell pointed out that that had been one of the reasons the board had said that mobile homes could be located anywhere in the city.

In order to give more consideration to the ordinance before a public hearing is scheduled, the council voted 4-1 to meet with the zoning board and discuss the changes. Councilman Frank Owen abstained.

Recreation vehicles OK

A proposed change in the Pelham zoning ordinance will allow recreational vehicles to be parked at residences without restriction on the length of time.

This will amend a section of the ordinance which only allowed three days parking for this type vehicle.

The proposed ordinance

change was incorrectly stated in last week's newspaper, and the Reporter is glad to set the record straight.

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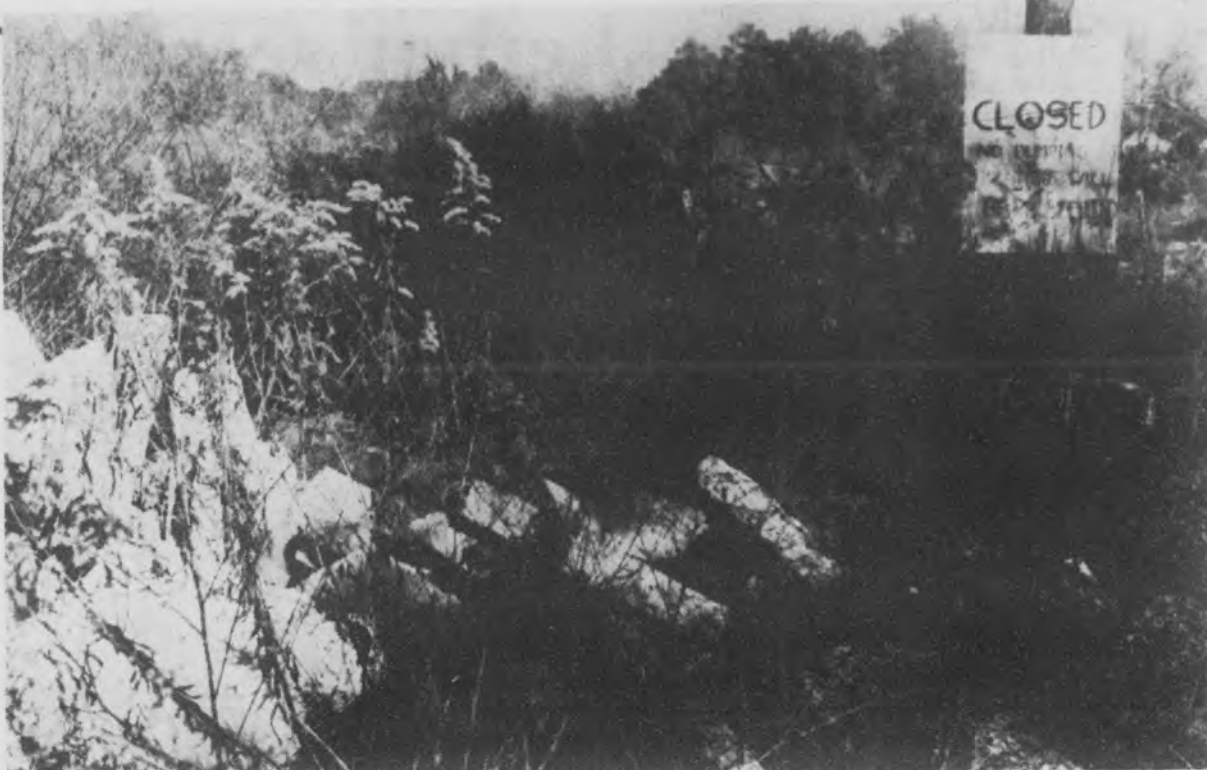
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No dumping

Demolition dump owner J.W. Holsomback and his daughter, Dorthy Munkus, have notified customers that their site in Riverchase has been ordered closed by the Alabama Department of Environmental Management. They say that they're trying to meet state requirements and have buried all burning materials, but people continue to

dump there without permission. Also, they say people continue to illegally dump elsewhere in the area, and that a dump site is badly needed for construction refuse. Jack Honeycutt of the ADEM agrees with the last point, but says the agency would probably not grant Holsomback another permit. (photo by Bert Seaman)

Harpersville store is disqualified

A quick stop store in Harpersville has been barred from accepting food stamps for the next six months.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food and Nutrition Service temporarily disqualified Jean B. Arthur from the program for accepting food stamps for ineligible items.

Arthur, who owns the Kountry Kubbard, may reapply to enter the program at the end of the six month period, said James M. Sanders, head of the Birmingham field office of the Food and Nutrition Service in Birmingham.

The ineligible items bought with food stamps at the Kountry Kubbard include beer, bleach, and detergent, according to the agency.

Sanders said that food stamps can only be used to buy food or garden seed and plants to be used to produce food.

On the whole, Sanders said that there have not been many food stamp violations in Shelby County.

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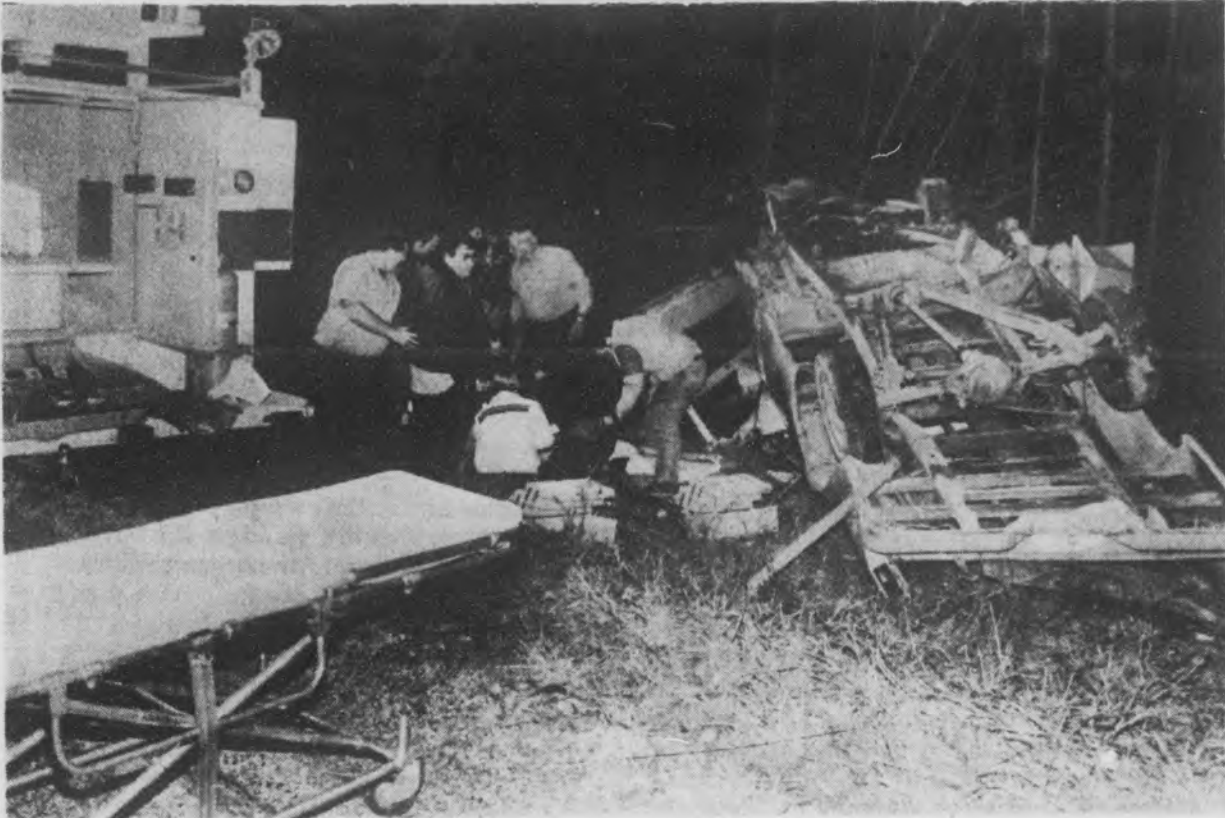
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Wreck scene

The driver of a pickup truck was seriously injured Sunday evening when his vehicle ran off the road on County 12 near County 87, hitting a tree and overturning. The man, unidentified by State

Troopers because he did not have a driver's license on him, was in guarded condition Tuesday at University Hospital. (photo by Jim Parks)

Birmingham mayor to address UM grads

Birmingham mayor Richard Arrington will address graduates and guests at the University of Montevallo's December commencement.

Ceremonies take place at 8 p.m., Dec. 14, in Palmer Hall Auditorium. Arrington will also receive the President's Award for Distinguished Public Service at that time.

Arrington is active in local, state and national Democratic Party organizations. He gained

further national prominence as chairman of the Drafting Committee for the 1984 Democratic Party Platform.

In the past several years he has been the recipient of many numerous awards. In 1980, "Newsweek" listed Arrington as one of the outstanding new faces in the Democratic Party.

"Ebony" has listed Arrington as one of the nation's 100 most influential black Americans for each of the past four years.



MAYOR RICHARD ARRINGTON JR.
...to speak at UM graduation

Duncan is UM alumni dinner speaker

Carolyn Duncan will be the guest speaker at this year's University of Montevallo Alumni Assoc. dinner honoring December degree candidates. The dinner will be held at 6 p.m. Dec. 14 in the Anna Irvin Dining Hall.

Duncan is a 1971 graduate of UM and received her law degree

at the Cumberland School of Law in 1978.

Duncan is a former chief counsel to the Alabama Securities Commission and has served as a staff attorney for the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Her professional ac-

tivities include memberships on the Task Force on Lawyers Specialization for the Alabama State Bar, and the Public Finance Study Committee for the Alabama Law Institute.

Dinner tickets are \$7.00. For more information: 665-2521, ext. 530.

Alabaster Council says no sleeping nude in bars

by Jim Parks

No sleeping, lewd dancing nor nudity is allowed in Alabaster lounges, according to action taken by the Alabaster Council at its last meeting.

Introduced by Councilman J.C. Draper, Ordinance 177 requires all alcoholic beverage licensees in the city to comply with the following regulations:

- No sleeping on the premises.
- No nudity on the premises.
- No lewd indecent dancing or other indecent entertainment permitted on the premises.
- Interior of lounge area must be well lighted.

•No minor shall be employed by the licensee, nor any person convicted of an alcoholic related offense within the preceeding 24 months.

•No sale of alcohol to minors, habitual drunks or anyone already intoxicated.

Violation of any of the sections of the ordinance can result in revocation of the liquor license. (The ordinance appears on Page A-18, column 5, in the Reporter legal notices.)

In other business at the Dec. 3 meeting, the council:

•Voted to spend \$47,000 in Revenue Sharing funds as the city's match for a \$700,000 Com-

munity Development Block Grant to improve city streets and the sewer system.

•Raised the monthly uniform allowance for city firemen from \$50 to \$75.

•Annexed the Brantleyville Baptist Church property into the city limits.

•Posted a three-way stop sign at an intersection in Siluria near Thompson High School to help curb speeders. Alabaster police also have beefed up patrols in Siluria, and have issued a number of speeding tickets.

•Proclaimed Dec. 9-15 as National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week.

Columbiana to fly flags in 1985

by Bert Seaman

"We'll fly flags in '85," rejoiced Columbiana Mayor Buck Falkner after receiving a \$1,000 check for their purchase.

The money came from the city's chamber of commerce and was presented at last week's council meeting.

Falkner said that he had been distressed that Columbiana has not had flags up for patriotic observances when other cities were flying the colors.

Flags previously flown in the city were the property of former scoutmaster Robert Hume. Hume said previously that he had taken back the flags because they had not been properly cared for by the city.

In presenting the check, chamber president Jim Strickland said that the chamber asked the city to do three things: maintain the flags, be responsible for putting them up and taking them down, and to fly them a minimum of three times during the year.

It was the feeling of the chamber, Strickland said, that displaying the flags on appropriate occasions would enhance the city's image.

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Museum displays dolls

Dolls from all eras will be displayed for kids of all ages at the Shelby County Museum during the holiday season.

Dec. 13 through Jan. 10 the museum will have a special Christmas exhibit of antique toys and dolls.

The museum is located in old courthouse at the end of Main Street in Columbiana. It is open from 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m., Monday-Saturday. Admission is free. For more information: 669-3488.

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Editorial comment

Be pint-size hero

Sometimes a hero is strong and gutsy. Sometimes a hero pays the ultimate price and gives his or her own life to save the life of a fellow human being.

Always a hero stands tall in eyes of others.

This larger than life image of the hero might leave the common man thinking that he or she could never live up to such a superhuman billing.

But that's not so. We are all needed to help save lives, and even the small and meek can be heroes — simply by giving blood.

The holidays are straining current blood inventories used by area hospitals for surgery, for helping to treat cancer and leukemia patients, burn patients, hemophiliacs (free bleeders) and babies with medical problems. Part of this inventory strain comes from the simple fact that people get busy this time of year and don't give as much blood.

Red Cross officials project that December blood donations will fall 2,000 pints below the level necessary to meet central Alabama hospital and patient needs. As of Monday, inventories were already critical for types O+, O- and B+.

Traditionally, volunteers in Shelby County have done their part in helping meet blood needs.

Recently, the staff and students at the University of Montevallo donated 210 pints of blood in their semi-annual drive.

This afternoon, (Dec. 13), the Columbiana Kiwanis and Shelby County High School Leo Club are sponsoring a public blood drive at the Columbiana United Methodist Church, and Wednesday, Dec. 19, Shelby Medical Center will hold its special Christmas blood drive.

Indeed, from July to June, people — make that heroes — in Shelby County gave 4,396 pints of blood, admirably surpassing the county Red Cross chapter's quota of 3,900.

However, most of these donations came from special drives, while only a dozen or so donors showed up at the regular blood drives held each week in Alabaster.

The Reporter hopes that its readers 17 and over continue to give at special blood drives, and encourages better participation at the regular drives, especially during this holiday season.

The Red Cross holds its regular blood drives from 12:30-6:30 p.m. every Friday at the Shelby County chapter house at the intersection of U.S. 31 and State 119 in Alabaster.

Don't worry, the good folks there will give you a brief check to see if you can give safely. You don't have to be brawny and gutsy, and giving a pint of blood won't kill you. But there's a good chance that it'll help save someone's life.

Go ahead. Care a lot and give a little. Be a pint-size hero.

...D.F.M.

Readers' opinions

Christmas Seals help the fight

Letter to the editor:

The annual Christmas Seal campaign of the American Lung Association is underway, with approximately two million households in our state receiving these traditional symbols of the holidays by mail. The Seals, used customarily as decorations for card envelopes, gifts and packages, are a public indication that the user has contributed to the work of the Jefferson-Shelby Lung Association.

This is the 80th anniversary of the Lung Association, the na-

tion's oldest voluntary public health organization which was formed in 1904 to stamp out tuberculosis. Christmas Seals were first used in 1907 as a method of obtaining contributions from people who knew first hand at the time of the terrible tragedy of consumption.

Today, the American Lung Association and its 144 affiliated associations throughout the country, along with its medical section - The American Thoracic Society — are dedicated to the control and prevention of all lung

diseases and their related causes, including smoking, air pollution and occupational lung hazards.

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COACH OF THE YEAR RICKY SEALE
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Coach of the Year

County association names Wildcats' Seale

by K.A. Turner

Shelby County High School's Ricky Seale has been named the Coach of the Year in Shelby County by his fellow coaches in the Shelby County Coaches Association.

Among those naming him as this year's winner are one of his former coaches, a former teammate, and a coach who was active during Seale's playing days at Thompson High School, and a former teammate.

Chelsea's Richard Conkle coached Seale during a high school all-star game. Montevallo head coach Richard Gilliam coached at Calera during Seale's playing days as an opposing Thompson Warrior.

Vincent head man Harold Garrett played with Seale at Livingston University for one year. At the time, Garrett was a senior, Seale a freshman.

Following his standout career at Thompson, Seale played quarterback for four years at Livingston, coached two years at Cordova, then spent two years as an assistant at Thompson.

In the summer of 1981, Seale took over the reigns at SCHS.

The Coach of the Year award came on the heels of Seale's most successful season as a head coach. In his fourth year at the SCHS helm, Seale directed his Wildcats to a perfect 10-0 regular season record enroute to a 12-1 finish and an appearance in the quarterfinal round of the 4A state playoffs. The Shelby County Reporter last week named his Wildcats as its "Team of the Year."

"The most important thing is the year we had," Seale said. "The team honors are what mean so much. I really didn't do anything different this season."

It was however, the hard work of four years of coaching that finally "paid off", Seale said. "These boys have worked awfully hard, most of them for three years," he said.

Following his initial season at SCHS — a 4-6 year with a team full of seniors that Seale admits he would have liked to have coached longer — the second-year coach saw the core of his 1984 team take their lumps in a 1-9 sophomore season.

The same group improved to 5-6 last year before turning in the undefeated season just past. That left Seale's over-all record at SCHS even at 22-22.

"I think it helped for me to stay awhile," Seale said. "It's hard for a group of players to have to adjust to a new system every year or two."

Seale admitted, however, that "staying awhile" has not always been easy.

"It wasn't always easy," he said with a half smile. "I guess I felt like at the beginning of this year I may have been on the hot-seat."

"I put pressure on myself," he added. "I want to win as badly as anybody so I try not to think a lot about pressure from other people. Most of the pressure I feel comes from me."

Some of the past seasons — especially the 1-9 year — were hard not only on Seale but on his family as well.

"I'm sure my wife was miserable that year," he said. "She helped to push me to my limit. She was a lot of what kept me going."

Seale said there were times when he thought about leaving.

"I could have begun to doubt myself," he said. "I sometimes wondered if I had tried to become a head coach too soon. But I told my wife that I wanted to prove that I could turn it around. I wanted to see just what kind of stuff I was made of."

Following a year of improvement in 1983, Seale was able to gather a staff for the 1984 season that "made the difference" in the SCHS team.

"One of the biggest things in coaching is a good staff," he said. "We have fun no matter what, and that's important."

Seale talked about each staff member and his contribution to the total program.

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Sports

For the record

Perkins, Adams start fast

Former Montevallo Lady Bulldog standout Ruth Perkins is enjoying a fast start in her junior season at the University of Montevallo.

Perkins currently leads the Lady Falcons in both scoring and rebounding, hitting for 15.4 points per game while pulling in 7.8 rebounds.

Perkins 18 points against David-Lipscomb is a season high for all Lady Falcons. She also has single game highs in the rebounding category, the field goal percentage category and the free throws attempted and made categories.

Perkins has led the Lady Falcons in scoring in four of their initial five games.

Former Pelham Panther Jeff Adams is enjoying playing time in his senior season on the University of Montevallo hardwoods. Adams currently shares the game-high steals total for the Falcons season, recording three in a recent contest with Stillman.

Adams is currently second on the team in steals, third in the assists category.

Cribbs to stay in B'ham

Teams around the United States Football League in particular and all of professional football in general can scratch Joe Cribb's name from their Christmas shopping list.

The all-star, all-purpose running back will be back in a Birmingham Stallions uniform in 1985.

And it will be "because that's the way I want it. I do not want to play anywhere else because I want to stay right here," he said.

"After the end of the 1984 season," said club president Jerry Sklar, "we got telephone calls from throughout professional football -- not just the USFL but the National Football League as well -- about Joe's availability."

"Our position was that the only humane way to handle this situation was to sift through all of the discussions and let them run their course. Then I called Joe into my office, we sat down and discussed everything that had been happening."

"After that, I determined that the next course of action would be to ask Joe just what he wanted to do."

"Mr. Sklar, a man for whom I have the greatest respect, just asked me point-blank," Cribbs said, picking up the story. He asked me, 'Joe, what do you want to do?'

"That's when I told him, 'I want to stay here. I want to be a part of this organization...to play for the Stallions.'"

Captains recognized

A recent report to the Reporter incorrectly named the captains in the Thompson Youth Warriors 95-pound contest with Leeds. Captains for the game were Isaac Lewis and Kenneth Garner.

Fans collect autographs

The Birmingham Stallions are demonstrating their Christmas spirit in true football style -- with autograph parties featuring the team's players.

These parties will be held at the Stallions' Team Shop, located at 304 20th Street North, on Saturday afternoons between now and Christmas. A Trim-A Tree Party, highlight film viewing and visits from Santa and the Fillies will also be featured during the December activities.

The schedule for the month is as follows:

Saturday, December 8, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Trim-A-Tree Party, Buddy Aydelette, Lonnie Johnson and Scott LaFord invite you to help them trim the Stallions tree by bringing an ornament in exchange for a special Stallion souvenir.

Saturday, December 15, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Highlight Film Viewing. Come watch highlights from the Stallions 1984 Championship season on a big screen television with Jackie Cline, Ricky Ray and Bill Roe.

Saturday, December 22, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Santa and his Fillies. Climb on Santa's lap (or the laps of Cliff Stoudt, Thomas Boyd or Fred Bohannon) and tell him what you want for Christmas. The 1985 Fillies will also be selling balloons and signing autographs.

Hunting: a trophy or a tragedy

by K.A. Turner

As the 1984-85 hunting season heads into its busiest months, there is good news and bad news concerning hunting accidents throughout the state.

The good news is that the total number of reported accidents is down from the November total of a year ago.

The bad news is that the

number of fatal accidents is up, with six hunters state-wide losing their lives since the beginning of the hunting season.

Of the six fatalities, five came on deer hunts. One, a self-inflicted wound, came when a quail hunter was crossing a ditch and accidentally shot himself in the chest.

Each of the other five fatalities

came when a hunter was "mistaken for game." Each involved buckshot, which according to Alabama Department of Conservation hunter safety coordinator James Thornhill, is the load responsible for more fatal accidents than any other deer shot.

Game and Fish Director Charles Kelley expressed hopes

that the department's hunter education program is partly responsible for the drop in the total number of accidents. He stressed, however, that continued measures are needed to insure safety throughout the months of December and January, the two which traditionally see the greatest number of deer hunting accidents.

Two young Shelby County hunters - Geoff and Chris Maynard - volunteered last weekend to help illustrate the single most important safety precaution, the wearing of fluorescent orange clothing while hunting.

In a sparsely wooded area near Montevallo, Chris took up a position only 50 yards distant from his older brother on a backlit knoll. When Chris wore only dark clothing, it was virtually impossible to quickly distinguish him at that distance.

The addition of an orange hat and vest made him stand out, however, making it easy to identify him as a brother, not a buck.

In addition to the bright clothing, positive target identity before firing and knowing what lies in the line of fire in front and beyond the target are important. Treating every firearm as if it were loaded, staying out of the swing of fire of hunters, and controlling the muzzle are additional precautions.



Buck...

Area deer hunters, like Geoff Maynard, have been sighting targets and firing, hoping to get a trophy buck. Unfortunately, some hunters let their excitement

and anticipation outweigh their sound judgment in the hunting situation. (photo by K.A. Turner)



... or brother

Aided by an orange hat and hunting vest, Geoff's brother Chris can now be seen - and avoided. Chris was in exactly the same position in the previous photo, circled by the target site. He was wearing camouflage clothes, however, and could barely be seen. (photo by K.A. Turner)



ROUNDBALL ROUNDUP

by K. A. Turner



Vincent has 3-0 week

The Vincent Yellowjackets recorded a busy and productive basketball week, taking three big wins in as many contests.

Vincent took an 80-40 county win over Montevallo, a 56-42 area win over Lineville, and a 78-51 decision with Gilmore Bell in their most successful week to date.

Against Montevallo, the Jackets had double figure scores from four different players. Glen Robertson, Bruce Hamilton and Tony Hamilton hit for 16 points each, while Craig Fair added 13.

Tommy Bivins and Danny Holmes recorded 13 points each to lead the Dogs, with Cedric Nix adding 10.

Bruce Hamilton led the way in the area win, scoring 22 points. Tony Hamilton and Hugh Kidd each hit for 10.

Vincent again put four scorers in the double figure bracket against Bell, Bruce Hamilton leading the way with 24 points. Craig Fair added 19, Tony Hamilton 12 and Vernon Kidd 11.

The Shelby Academy Raiders and the Coosa Valley Rebels renewed their traditional rivalry, this time on the basketball court, with a slightly different outcome than the last meeting between the two schools. The Raiders won the battle of the backboards 51-46 in a game played at Shelby.

Dennis Attaway led the Shelby scoring with 23 points. Vince Pickett added 15 points and pulled in a team-high 11 rebounds.

Coosa Valley got double-figure scoring from three players, John Beavers and Ricky Sprouse leading the way with 12 points each. Brett Stricklin added 10 to the CVA total.

The Pelham Panthers and the Thompson Warriors each took an area win and an area loss last week, Pelham falling to Thompson by a 67-56 count, and Thompson falling to Homewood 53-51.

The Warriors got off to a fast 18-4 first quarter start enroute to the win over Pelham. Although the Panthers managed to win the second half scoring race, half was not enough as the Warriors coasted to the win.

Chris Thomas led Thompson with 27 points and 14 rebounds, while Lee Snyder led the Panthers with 18 points.

Tony Hale's 17 points and 10 from Tracy Threatt gave the Warriors three scorers in double figures.

John North added 13 points and Sam Nelms got 12 for Pelham.

Both coaches saw positive points in the game. Thompson's Thomas Johnson was pleased with his team's shooting performance - 72% from the foul line and 47% from the field, up from a poor percentage in the loss to Homewood.

Pelham's Tony Taylor was pleased with his team's play in the second half after a first half that was not aggressively played.

Pelham's area win came in a 55-52 decision over McAdory. Lee Snyder again led the Panthers, this time with 20 points. That total included a perfect 8-8 night at the free throw line, part of a 17-24 performance from the team as a whole.

John North added 14 points in the win.

"The kids played well," Taylor said of the win. "We were down 26-31 at the half, but made up the difference and led by four at the end of the third quarter. Then we were able to hang on for the win."

Thompson's loss, the first for the Warriors this season, came in a game that Johnson felt was not well played. The Warriors did not shoot well, especially from the line. In addition, Homewood managed to out rebound Thompson, a feat not many teams have accomplished this year.

Tony Hale led the scoring in the game with 24 points. Chris Thomas added 16 points and led in rebounding with 12.



Lob

Vincent's Bruce Hamilton hauls in a lob pass and turns to the basket in the Yellowjackets win over Montevallo last week. Cedric Nix provides defensive pressure for the Dogs. (photo by K.A. Turner)



Rebound

Lady Panther Melody Dunaway comes down hard with a rebound against Thompson. The area contest between the two rivals had to be decided in overtime, with Pelham gaining the better of the score. (photo by Hugh Wilson)

In perhaps their best effort of the week, the Warriors took a 74-71 overtime win over Bibb County, their second win in as many nights.

Fans who saw the game enjoyed several outstanding individual performances.

Chris Thomas scored 31 points and pulled in 15 rebounds, this despite a special defense that double-teamed him throughout the night.

Tony Hale was also the subject of a double defense, but he still managed 13 points and 10 assists.

Johnson was probably most pleased with the play of Tracy Threatt. "He did a super job," he said. "They overplayed Chris and Tony and he came in and made the difference in the game."

Perhaps the most outstanding performance of the night, however, was turned in by Bibb County's Michael Rutledge. Rutledge hit 31 points and did not miss a single shot until six seconds remained in the overtime period.

Indian Springs also recorded two wins last week, beating Chelsea 51-47 and Altamont 39-30. Coach Greg Van Horn's squad also dropped a 65-43 decision to Calera.

Keith Lusco led the ISS scoring in the Chelsea game with 19 points. David Garcia was the rebounding leader with 12.

Evan Goldberg and freshman Lawrence Garcia each added nine points, three of Garcia's coming with 28 seconds left on a three point play that took the lead from Chelsea.

Randy Mason chipped in eight points and nine rebounds, and Lusco added five assists in the winning effort.

Steve Shelton led the Chelsea effort with 16 points. Matt Russell added 10 and Stephen Guthrie, nine.

In the win over Altamont, seven ISS players scored in an even offensive effort. Keith Lusco's 10 points led efforts by David Garcia, Evan Goldberg, Randy Mason, Scott Pulliam, Lawrence Garcia and Sanjay Khare.

Mason led the rebounding effort with 12, while David Garcia added nine caroms.

The 65-43 Calera win was one of two for the Eagles in a three game week. Calera paired the ISS decision with a win over West Blocton, but dropped a heart-breaking 100-98 decision to Brighton in a double overtime contest.

Kenny Marsh led the Eagle scoring in both wins as he hit for 24 against Blocton and 19 against Indian Springs.

Byron White and Greg Haynes added nine points each in the ISS game. In addition, White led the Calera rebounding effort with eight while Marsh grabbed seven.

Against Blocton, Marsh got support from Mark Jones who hit for 17 points and recorded eight rebounds. Marsh led the rebounding effort with 11.

Greg Haynes had his best game of the year in the OT loss, hitting 34 points and recording 12 rebounds. Marsh had 24 points and 11



Hide and seek

Shelby County Wildcat David Wood may look like he is playing hide and seek, but Chelsea's Mike Fant and Steven Guthrie are serious about playing defense in the match-up between the two county squads last week. SCHS came away a winner in the contest. (photo by K.A. Turner)

Lady Panthers win two

caroms in the contest.

The Montevallo Bulldogs rebounded from their early-week loss to Vincent to take a close 60-58 win over Briarwood.

Danny Holmes led the Montevallo scoring with 23 points, followed by 16 from Tommy Bivins and 10 from Slade Blackwell.

Bob Farris had 17 points and Milton Seabolt 12 in the contest for Briarwood.

The Lions also posted a win during the week, taking a 58-55 victory over Jemison. Victor Nichols had 12 points, Bob Farris 10, and Conrad Carpenter nine to lead an even scoring effort for Steve Franklin's Lions.

Briarwood now stand at 4-2 on the season, one of the best records in the county.

Led by the Wood brothers, the Shelby County High Wildcats picked up a 72-56 win over Chelsea last Friday. David Wood had 19 points and Ambrose 14 in the Cats' win.

O'Neal Williams added twelve points to give SCHS coach Randy Terry three scorers with double figure totals.

Steve Shelton led the Chelsea effort with 17 points, followed by 14 from Keith Welch and 10 from David Lehner.

The Pelham Lady Panthers got two wins in three games last week, beating area foes McAdory and Thompson but losing to Sylacauga.

Denise Heisler scored 25 points in the Lady Panthers 43-23 win over McAdory. Julie McAlevy and Darla Cowart each added six.

The Lady Panthers and the Lady Warriors tied up in an overtime struggle before Pelham pulled off their second win of the week. Heisler again led the Pelham scoring with 19 points, and McAlevy and Cowart again added six each.

Thompson countered with 14 points from Allison Bivins and six each from Lori Glasgow and Susan Parvin. Kathleen Hunter also played well for the Lady Warriors, making a backcourt steal and layup to help send the game into overtime.

Heisler also had 16 points to lead an effort that saw all five Lady Panther starters score at least four points in the 41-37 loss to Sylacauga.

Darla Cowart had nine points in the effort.

Sandy Brasher led the Chelsea Lady Hornets to two wins last week, scoring 40 points in the 53-33 decision over Indian Springs and 12 as Chelsea beat Shelby County 30-29.

Suzanne Roberts added 10 points in the win over SCHS.

In the ISS game, Deborah Shirley was the leading rebounder for Chelsea, while Elizabeth Lockhard led the ISS scoring with 12 points.

Indian Springs did get two wins during the week, beating Altamont 40-26 and Calera 44-19.

Stephanie Norris led the scoring for ISS in both wins, hitting 15 points against Altamont and 14 against Calera.

Cauley Kelly added nine points and Lockhard was the leading rebounder in the Altamont game.

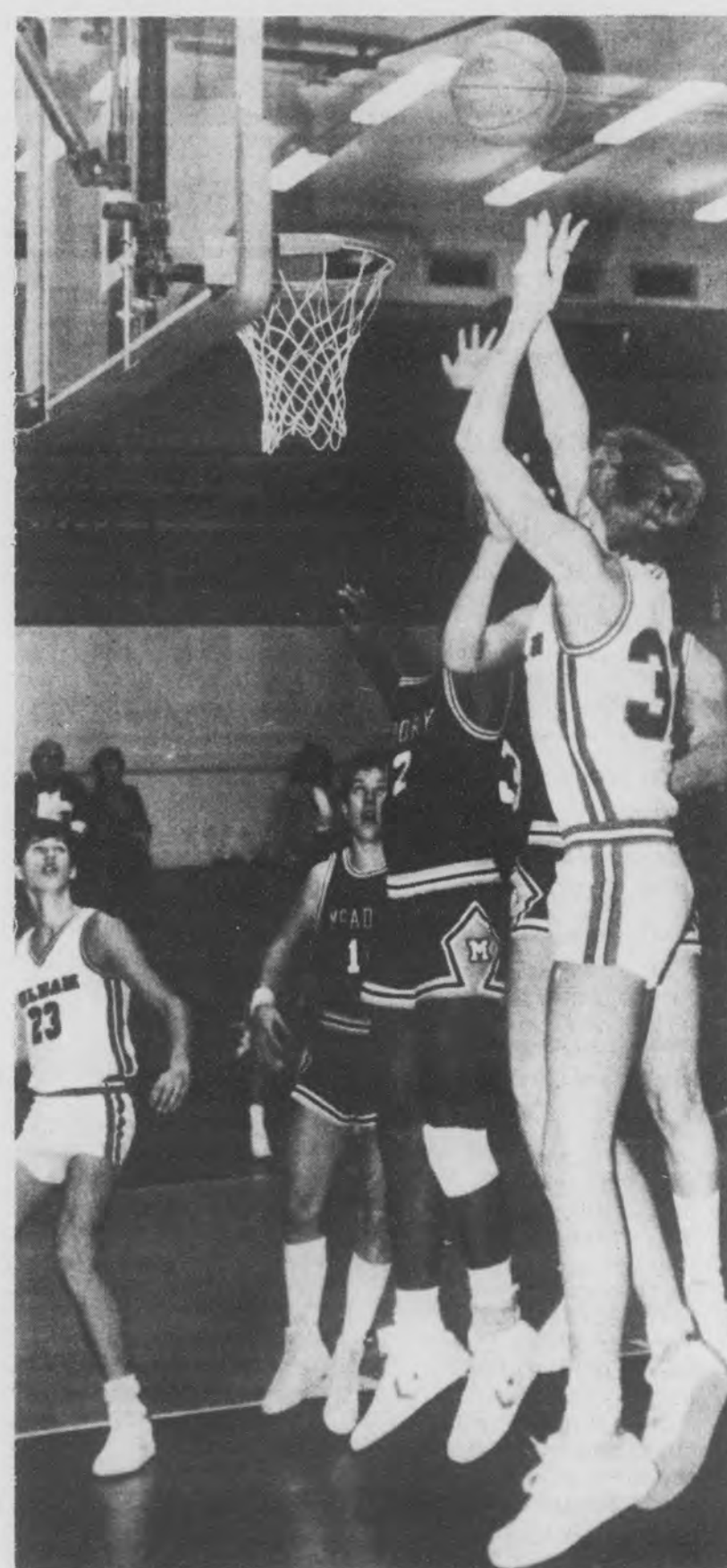
Against Calera, Kelly scored 12 points and Lockhard eight. Lockhard continued as the leading rebounder for ISS.

For Calera, Angela Johnson led the scoring with 10 points.

The Montevallo Lady Bulldogs handed Briarwood a 54-47 setback in the only action for both teams last week.

Lorene Gentry led the MHS scoring with 16 points, followed by 15 from Lisa Devinner and 14 from Carol Paschel.

Lady Lion Valerie Ysambert led all scorers with 20 points, followed by 11 from Melissa Vines.



Up and over

Pelham Panther Ken Lewis shoots up and over a McAdory defender and Lee Snyder moves into rebound position. The Panthers took a win over the area foe and maintain tie for first place in the early stages of the area race. (photo by Hugh Wilson)

Seale

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•Joey Neal is the defensive coach for the Wildcats.

"Always before I had tried to help out with the defense," Seale said. "This year I told him 'It's yours. I'll stay out of your way.' He's done an excellent job at it, and it takes a big load of responsibility off me, allowing me to do other things."

•Richard "Wimpy" Winther handles offensive and defensive line responsibilities.

"There has been a big improvement in our play there," Seale said. "We had four line coaches in as many years, and we felt that we needed a good coach there no matter what this year. We were real lucky to get Wimpy."

•Randy Terry handles the receivers and secondary.

"We've never had anybody who wanted to coach that group before," Seale said. "But Randy really enjoys it so he does a good job."

"We just have a good time with the kids," Seale said. "That's probably the biggest factor in our success."

The only negative aspect about the time Seale spends with his staff, is the amount of time it takes from his family of three - Debbie, a four-year-old son, and a two-year-old daughter.

"I wish I could spend more time with them," he said.

Time is not something that Seale is willing to waste, however. Only two weeks out of the 1984 season, Seale is already planning for the 1985 year, and is supervising his team's year-round weight program. In thinking of

the future, Seale terms himself "happy here" and views the new field house currently under construction at SCHS as a big boost to the Wildcat program.

Seale has also set new goals for himself and his teams, having reached one set long ago with a perfect season and a program that is on the rise.

Whatever the goals, the SCHS coach said he seeks to make a difference in the lives of his players.

"I hope that I can teach them more than just football," he said. "I want this to be something they can take with them through life and look back on with pride."

"I hope they consider me a friend. I try to get close to them because these days they have to really enjoy football. There are so many other things they could do."

Stallions help Toys for Tots

"Helping the less fortunate is what Christmas is all about," said Birmingham Stallion Buddy Aydelette.

The former Crimson Tiger joins a former Auburn Tiger in hosting a Stallions Christmas Party to benefit Toys for Tots.

"What really excites me about all of this," said Stallion Joe Cribbs, "is that the toy someone

out in the public brings, or the one I bring, may be the only present that some youngster will have on Christmas morning. I'd be there with a toy even if I wasn't a host."

Cribbs and Aydelette will host the party in the Eastwood Mall Auditorium this Saturday, Dec. 15, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Many other Stallions will join the two all-USFL performers at

the party, all wearing their jerseys and giving away autographed pictures.

Santa will also attend, and will be available for pictures with Cribbs, Aydelette and all of the kids.

Falcons win and lose

After battling to a 35-35 deadlock the University of Montevallo Falcons made the most of their trips to the free throw line in the second half to snatch a 72-69 win over North Georgia at Montevallo Saturday night.

The UM women found themselves down 40-25 to Delta State at the halfway point, but rallied to outscore the Lady Statesmen in the final stanza. Still, it wasn't enough as Delta State picked up a 76-64 win.

The Falcons, under 11th-year head coach Bill Elder, really put on a show from the free throw line against North Georgia hitting 16-of-18 for a school record .89 percent. but it wasn't just from the charity line that UM sparked, nailing 53 percent of its shots from the floor.

"We shot better from the field than we have been," Elder said, "and we continued to shoot extremely well from the free throw line."

On the women's side of the ledger it was a case of being a bit too careless with the basketball for the first 20 minutes. The Lady Falcons, 3-3, turned the ball over 16 times in the first half against DSU.

"In the first half we hurt ourselves with too many turnovers," Lady Falcon head coach Crispy Earnhardt said. "In the second half we played a lot better. We played better defense and pushed the ball up the floor."

Junior point guard Judy Perkins had a big night for the Lady Falcons, scoring 14 points and doling out 11 assists. Kelly Green followed with 13 and former MHS Lady Bulldog, Ruth Perkins rounded out double figure scorers with 11.

Eddy Norris pulled the majority of the weight for the men's team scoring 15 points and grabbing five rebounds. Senior Dexter Walker chipped in 10.

King leads B-team cuts

Seventeen points from Shawn King was almost enough to lead the Shelby County High School B-team basketball squad past Curry, but the junior Cats fell on the short end of a 54-52 score last week.

Johnny Boose and Johnny Brown added eight points each in the contest.

Montevallo High to stage

'Plight Before Christmas'

Montevallo High School is presenting an evening's entertainment for the holidays.

"The Plight Before Christmas" will be performed at 7:00 p.m. Dec. 13. The cast in-

cludes Stan Mahan, Paul Brown and Jon Carter.

The play will be held in the school auditorium. Admission is \$1.00 for students and staff, and \$1.50 for the general public.

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'Nightingale'

Jessica Dixon of Alabaster presents flowers to Pam Middaugh, a Montevallo actress who performed in a Childrens' Theatre production of the Japanese fairytale, "The Nightengale." School

children and the public had a chance to attend one of four performances of the play that was put on last week at the Strand Theatre in Montevallo. (photo by Bert Seaman)

Montevallo

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said that moving the police station will solve the roof leak problem at city hall. He said that the leak occurred around the police radio antenna which will now be moved.

Of the \$20,000 requested for moving the two departments, \$18,312.50 was funded. The police department also received \$2,000 of a \$11,400 request for equipment.

The city's rescue unit, which asked for \$10,500, received \$3,000.

All other requests were funded in full. These included:

- Park and recreation, \$8,000;
- Cemetery, \$13,000;
- Booster club, \$500;
- Street, \$10,000;
- City map, \$5,000;
- Heater for city hall, \$2,500.

In other business:

The city voted to annex two

acres of land on Holloway Hill. The property at the end of Holloway Drive is owned by James Walker and a home there is occupied by his mother.

City Administrator Don Hughes said Walker wanted the property annexed because of lower insurance payments, police, fire and rescue services and to get garbage pickup.

Hughes said that there are still other pockets of unannexed property in that area.

He said that police, fire and rescue services will be informed of new annexations in order to know what calls to respond to.

Thinking there could be some

confusion on the part of residents of those areas as to whether they were in the city, Brown suggested that people still not in the city be notified of that fact.

Also, the council approved an agreement which provides a designated amount of the fire department's budget to be used for training purposes.

"We've always done, it," Hughes explained. "This just puts it in writing."

The city administrator said that the agreement had been suggested by the city's auditor.

Training funds in this year's budget amount to \$4,800.

Circle K honors Kiwanis

Members of the the Columbian Kiwanis Club received a pat on the back at their regular meeting last Thursday night.

Dr. John Van Valkenburg, faculty advisor of the University of Montevallo Circle K Club, presented the Columbian club with a resolution "officially expressing appreciation and gratitude for its 25 years of dedication and support."

Van Valkenburg, in return, was made the first honorary member of the Columbian club, which is one of the charter founding sponsors of UM Circle K.



Kiwanis honored

Elvin Hill, president of the Kiwanis Club (left), Dr. Van Valkenburg and Kiwanis program chairman Wade Morton display the resolution of appreciation, Van Valkenburg's honorary membership certificate and the book "Confederate Forts," copies of which were given by Van Valkenburg to each Kiwanis member.

McCombs

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meeting since the county commission added five new directors to the board in October. The board members were added to overturn a controversial management contract with Shelby Health Services, a non-profit organization which McCombs had initially supported.

McCombs said Monday that he felt an organization similar to the foundation was still needed to allow the hospital to diversify

and provide home health services, which as a public institution it is prevented by law from doing.

"I definitely think that it (SMC) is as good a medical center as any," McCombs said. "There's a world of people who can't go to just any hospital they want. Those are the people I wanted to represent."

Earlier this year, board member Pete Raughley resigned for personal and business

reasons. He was reinstated by Snowden in October when the five new board members were added.

New member Neil Dameron, appointed by commissioner John Ames, resigned shortly after the October board meeting. He was replaced by Tom Stubbs.

Norman Price, who was named administrator last February, resigned last week to take a similar job at a medical center in McCombs, Mississippi.

AU graduation

Scott Moody of Columbiana will receive a bachelors degree from Auburn University at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 13. He is among some 865 receiving degrees from the University.

From 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. President and Mrs. Martin will host a reception for the graduating class and guests.

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Organizers of the annual Christmas Bazaar at the Montevallo Elementary School had some special help in kicking off the event. Santa Claus hitched a ride from the north pole via the Shelby County Sherriff's department helicopter and came to MES

to officially begin the fund-raiser. Greeting Santa at the school are Wesley Coffee, Donnie Deason, William Canty, Misty Boothe, Brett Paschel, Amy Paschel, and Brandi Hayes. (photo by Hugh Wilson)

Columbiana council to pay \$4,569 in overtime police debt

Three Columbiana policemen will have some extra spending money for Christmas this year.

The Columbiana Council agreed Thursday to pay Larry Offord, Lamar Vick and Tim Carter a total of \$4,569 in overtime pay.

William Rasco, a member of the public safety committee, said the policemen had brought the matter to the attention of his committee, which has been studying operational procedures of the police department.

The procedure on overtime pay, Rasco said, has been to pay it only when a man leaves the city's employ.

However, overtime apparently won't be a problem any longer. The present council, which took office in October, agreed there would no longer be overtime pay.

Rasco said that there are enough police officers now so that there is no need for anyone to put in extra hours.

Rasco asked the council to pay the three policemen what they were owed to clear the books.

Offord's overtime pay, which he had accumulated since 1981, amounted to \$3,599.08. Tim Carter, who was hired this past March, was paid \$660; Lamar Vick, hired in May, was paid

\$310.

In another matter which will also involve a financial outlay, the city's nine-year old computer was also discussed.

The equipment needs constant repair, and parts are no longer made for the outdated machine, said city clerk Mary Largin.

Although the council considered declaring the situation an emergency in order to expedite getting new equipment, the final decision was to take bids.

In anticipation of the expenditure, the council had set aside \$42,938. in this year's budget, part of which will be used for the computer purchase.

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400 turn out for Helena Christmas parade

New York introduced Santa Claus on Thanksgiving with the Macy's Day Parade. Helena in-

troduced the Jolly Old Elf last Saturday with its annual parade down Main Street in front of a

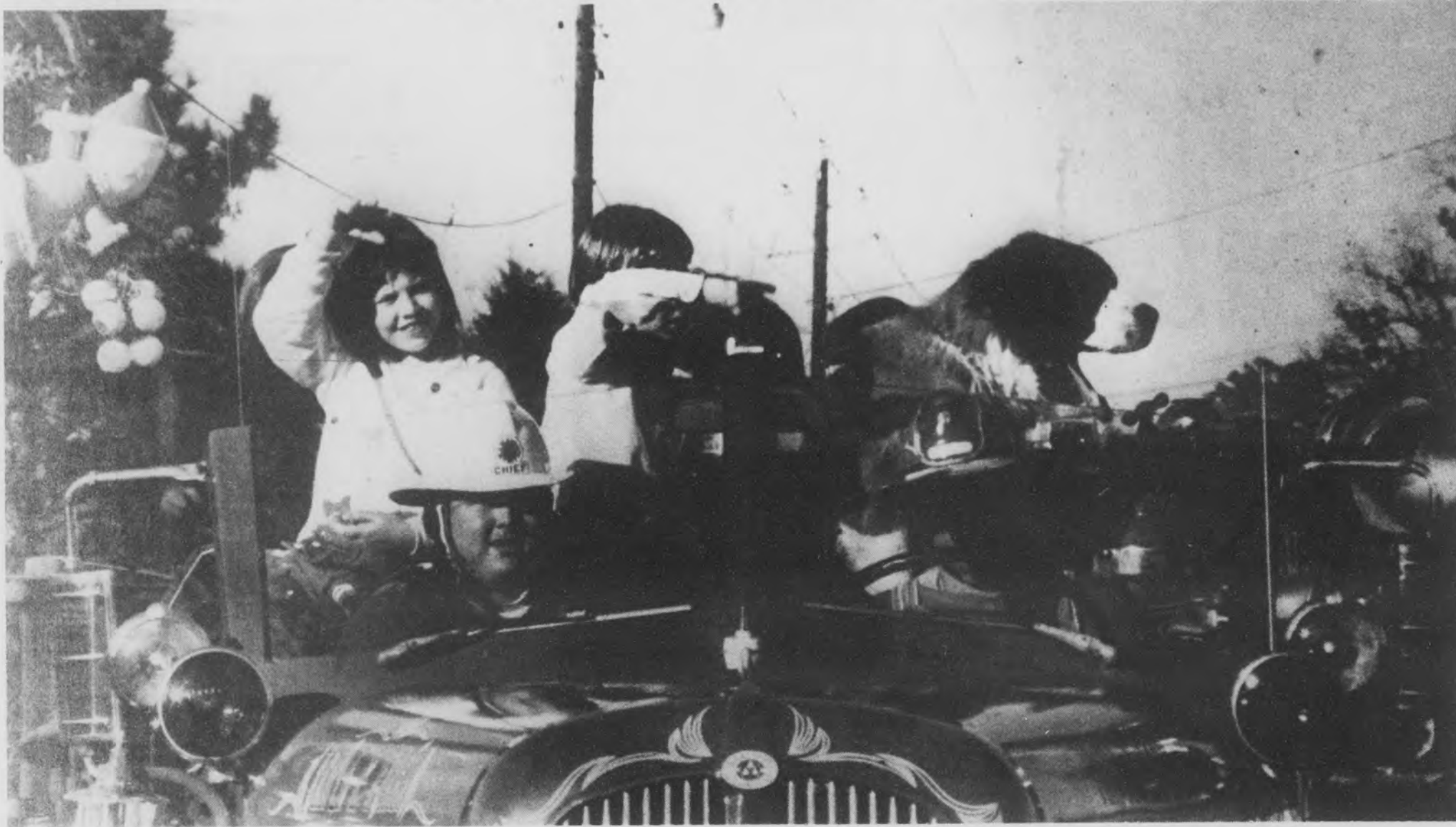
crowd of some 400 people.

A money tree in the back of a pickup with Santa won first float

in Helena for the First National Bank of Columbiana. Brownie Troops 303 and 304 won second

place, while the Birmingham Fillies came in third.

"It turned out pretty good,"



Say what?

Alan Eisenberg of Calera, and the passengers in his vintage fire engine, participated in Saturday's Christmas parade along with fire trucks from Helena, Pelham, Alabaster, Calera, Montevallo and

Rescue 65. While the kids in Eisenberg's truck seem to be having a good time, Eisenberg's St. Bernard Heidi seems bored with the ride along the parade route. (Photo by Dawn Mims)

said parade chairman Joe Coggins, who organized the event with help from Greg Bagley, Tom LeFebvre, John Mills and others.

Thirty-four units joined in the parade, which traveled from Joe Tucker Park onto Main Street and past the reviewing stand where State Sen. Frank "Butch" Ellis, who was grand marshal, his wife Diane and 25 other guests watched.

A new twist was added to this year's parade in the form of a Friday night Christmas tree lighting.

Coggins said the lighting came about "as a last minute thing" but that about 200 people showed up for it in the cold. He said the parade committee decided to hold the lighting because Helena Elementary is in the midst of accreditation, and did not stage a school Christmas program.

Some 60 students joined in the singing of Christmas carols with choirs from the Evangel Presbyterian and Helena United Methodist Church.

At the start of the 45-minute program, Mayor Sonny Penhale light the city's 10-foot Christmas which stands on the island in the park's lake.

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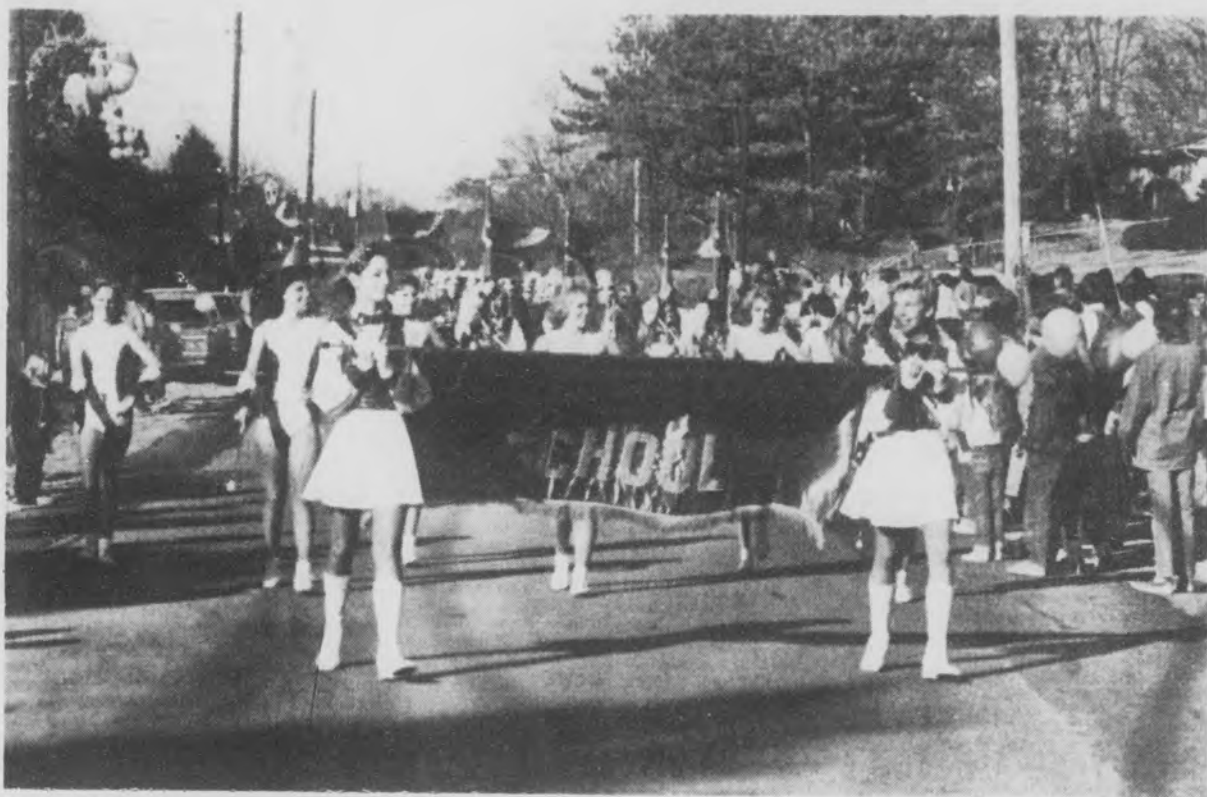
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Helena Christmas Parade

Santa (right) described Saturday's Helena Christmas Parade in no uncertain terms: "Ho-ho-ho!" Brownie scouts (left) won second place for their float, while majorettes from Riverchase and the Pelham High School Band (below) added to the festive annual event.



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Pest Control

Wayne's Pest Control Inc.
3170 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2077

Pet Grooming

Dale's Poodle Salon
612 6th Ave. SW, Alabaster
663-3433
Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Pet Shops

Helan's Pet Spa & Boutique, Supplies, Birds, & Puppies
1410 A Montgomery Hwy
975-5906
Tropical Pets
Shelby Mart, next to Winn Dixie in Pelham
664-2119

Pet Supplies

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Pharmacies

Clinic Pharmacy
Main St., Vincent
672-2551
Columbiana Drug
122 South Main St., Columbiana
669-6781
Coward Drug Company
Hwy 31 So., Calera
668-1723
Crossroads Discount Pharmacy
Moore's Crossroads, Montevallo
665-2816
Montevallo Drug
108 E Middle, Montevallo
665-1261

Photography

Environmental Photoart
2581 Chandalar Lane, Pelham
663-4905
John Ellison Photography
Pelham
663-6243
The Studio of King's
15 Middle, Montevallo
665-4795

Piano Lessons

Diane Moore
Kindgom Community Columbiana
669-3338

Picture Framing

Frame Factory
Main St., Columbiana
669-4548
Columbia Gulf
East College St., Columbiana
669-9455
Interstate Gulf
Interstate 165 & US 31, Alabaster
664-2205
Lewjoy Cligo Service Station
Wilson, Montevallo
665-2444
Sonny's Gulf & Grocery
Interstate of Hwy 25 Bypass & Hwy 70, Columbiana
669-4362
Westover Food & Service
Corner of Co. Rd 51 & Old 280, Westover
678-9841

Real Estate

CKM Realty
Shelby-Cahaba Office
2700 Montgomery Hwy, Pelham
663-0163
Dixie Realty
101 Jessup Bldg., Alabaster
663-2262
Fennell Realty Company
Across from Shelby Medical Center
663-6400
First Real Estate
3170 Hwy 31 S, Pelham
663-3895
Larry Cain Real Estate
Hwy 280, Westover
678-9000
Roberts Real Estate
117 Main, Montevallo
Across from Alabama Power Co.
665-2163

Real Estate

Scott-Long
215 No. Main St., Montevallo
665-1268 or 663-6723

Rental Mobile Homes

Crestwood Manor
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-2411

Restaurants

Meadowlark Restaurant
County Rd. 66, 534 Industrial Rd., Alabaster
663-3141
Riverview Restaurant
Hwy 31 No., Clanton
975-5909
The Pit Barbecue
Old 31 Hwy, Montevallo and Calera exit
668-1274

Retail Jewelers

Zeigler's Discount Jewelry
2744 Hwy 31 S, Pelham
663-3059

Roofing

Danny Akers
Columbiana
669-7801 after 4 p.m.

Saws

Columbiana Lawn & Garden Equipment
Sales & Service
101 Mill Ln., Columbiana
669-6280
Columbiana Small Engines
Hwy 25, Columbiana
669-9726
Montevallo Small Engines
202 Hwy 25 So., Montevallo
665-4526

Septic Tank Cleaning

Meeks Septic Tank Cleaning
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
425-8303 or 870-8600

Service Stations

Alabaster Chevron Service
323 Main, Alabaster
664-1818
Calera Gulf
Main, Calera
668-9907
Columbiana Gulf
East College St., Columbiana
669-9455
Interstate Gulf
Interstate 165 & US 31, Alabaster
664-2205
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665-2444
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669-4362
Westover Food & Service
Corner of Co. Rd 51 & Old 280, Westover
678-9841

Sewing Machines

G. H. Metcalf Sales & Repairs
3 Miles So of Westover on Hwy 55
678-9001
The Sewing Center
Shelby Mart Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-4813

Plants

Lewis Nursery
Hwy 61, Columbiana
Kingdom Community
669-7933
Myer's Plants & Pottery
2935 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Plants

Oak Win. Nursery Feed & Seed
3370 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-9470

Plumbing

Hodgen's Plumbing & Sewer Service
678-6730
M & M Plumbing Service Company
508 Wilderness Rd, Pelham
663-1543
Morrison Plumbing
236 1st St. SW, Alabaster
663-4726
Professional Maintenance Remodeling Services
Jefferson & Shelby County area
853-8136

Sheetrock Work

W.H. Blackburn
Montevallo
665-5420

Shoes

G O's Shoes & Things-Antiques
103 Main St., Calera
668-1574
Shelby County Shoe Clinic
Main St., Columbiana
669-4004

The Name Dropper Fashion Shoes for Ladies
110 East Middle St., Montevallo
665-2210

The Shoe Store
3180 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-4214

Siding, Vinyl-Alum

Brown Home Improvement
Calera
669-9200
Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Signs

Kelley's Sign Company
Route 1, Box 166, Westover
678-6703
Sign Graphics
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
669-6657

Small Engines

Bentley's Chain Saws
Hwy 25 East, Columbiana
669-6322
Dixie Alrocoed Engines
Hwy 119 3 miles So. of Alabaster
664-3192
The Outdoor Store
2307 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2002

Sporting Goods

Backcountry Outfitters
Hwy 31 So., Vestavia
822-1960

Storm Windows

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Telegraph

Western Union
2935 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Timber Buyers

Shelby County Logging
Shelby County & Surrounding Coun-
ties
669-3271

Tires

Earl's Garage & Warehouse Tire Center
Hwy 25 By Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Tires

Firestone of Pelham
3370 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-9470
Goodyear Tire Center
3149 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-0810
Helena Tire & Wheel Center
Int Hwy 17, 261, & 52, Helena
663-8883
Howard Tire Service
102 Hwy 47, Columbiana
669-4509

Maylene Guaranteed Used Tire Center
Maylene Railroad Crossing
663-0469

Shirley Tire Center Inc.
Main St., Calera
Located in rear of Bird Supply Co.
668-2161

Tools

Alabama Tool Company
Across from Food World, Pelham
664-0006

Treated Wood Products

Seaman Timber Company Inc.
Hwy. 25 So., Montevallo
665-2536

Tree Service

Dennis Tree Service
Montevallo
665-2473

Truck Rentals

Ryder Truck Rental
2335 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-0515

Trucking - Dump

A&B Leasing
Montevallo
665-2044

Tutoring Services

Good News Tutoring Service
Montevallo & Alabaster Area
665-4512 or 665-5122

T.V.

CRIM Radio & T.V. Service
Hwy 31 119 No 1st St., Alabaster
663-7481

T.V. Repairs

Czeskieba T.V. Service
8 Main, Montevallo
665-2604

Electronic Service Company
129 1st Ave West, Alabaster
663-3426

Mountain Appliance
5001 Cahaba River Rd., B'ham
967-6440 or 967-6453

Upholstery

Agnus Pool
Columbiana
669-7742

Whitfield's Upholstery Fabric Barn
Hwy 25, Vincent
672-9464

Veterinarians

Alabaster Animal Clinic
E.L. Duren
663-6530

Hall Animal Clinic
Located next door to Westover
Post Office
678-8253

Montevallo Animal Clinic
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-4625

Home Video Center
2854 Mont. Hwy, Pelham
663-5301

Home Video Center
Corner of Woodvine & Hwy 31, Calera
668-1377

Wedding Photograph

American Image Inc.
Photolab
3150 Lorna Rd., Hoover
979-1464

Window Cleaning

Steve Ransom
Serving Jefferson & No. Shelby Co.
853-6632

Wrecker Service

Galloway Gulf Service
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1061
Jones Truck & Auto Clinic
641 Main St., Alabaster
663-7381
Kirkland Wrecker Service
Hwy 31, Alabaster
663-0364

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Chiropractors, D.C.

Alabaster Chiropractic Center
Marguerite Ann Cleveland, D.C.
1337-A Montevallo Rd., Alabaster
663-4736
Cabrall Chiropractic Center
Dr. Thomas D. Webber &
Dr. John E. Cabrall
3363 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-9505
Chiropractic Center
Dr. Thomas S. Slaughter, D.C.
Hwy 25 West Calera
668-1942

Dentist

Dr. Bobby J. Bell D.M.D.
1633 B Montgomery Hwy Suite 6,
Hoover
823-5770

Dr. Jerome H. Florella
3459 Montgomery Hwy, Pelham
663-9560

Dr. Michael E. Ford
129 1st Street, Alabaster
Next to City Hall
663-3612

Dr. S. M. Mahan, Jr. D.M.D.
Brierfield & Montevallo
665-2723

Dr. Richard O. Ramer
129 1st Street, Alabaster
Next to City Hall
663-3526

Dr. Stephen R. Stricklin
Hwy 31 223 1st North, Alabaster
663-6644

Dentist-Endodontist (Root Canals)

Dr. Ron DiChiera
129 1st Street, Alabaster
Next to City Hall
663-3612

Dentist-Oral Surgery

Dr. Charles Bordenca
219 North 1st, Alabaster
664-2130

Optometrists

Dr. Douglas C. Clark
2711 Montgomery Hwy
Across from Shoney's in Pelham
664-1575

Dr. Stancil Hendley
Columbiana
669-4131

Montevallo Eye Clinic
Dr

TV listings for Dec. 13-19

THURSDAY 12/13/84	
MORNING	
8:00	17 SportsCenter
9:00	17 Top Rank Boxing
11:00	11 (21) MOVIE: 'Richie Brockelman: The Missing 24 Hours'
11:00	17 NCAA Division III Women's Volleyball Championship from Elmhurst, IL
AFTERNOON	
12:30	17 1984 Australian Open Tennis: Men's Final from Melbourne, Australia
1:00	11 (21) MOVIE: 'Somebody Loves Me'
3:30	17 ESPN's Ringside Review
4:00	17 World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
5:30	17 Mazda SportsLook
EVENING	
6:00	4 (4) 421 Family Feud
	5 (10) Nightly Business Report
	3 (13) 12 (2) 61 News
	11 (21) CHiPs
	17 SportsCenter
	7 Here Come the Brides
	4 (4) 421 Name That Tune
	5 (10) Alpine Ski School
	3 (13) Wheel of Fortune
	17 PKA Full Contact Karate: Southeast Light Welterweight
	12 (2) 61 Entertainment Tonight
7:00	4 (5) 101 MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
	3 (13) Cosby Show
	11 (21) Dallas
	7 Circus
	12 (2) 61 World Premiere Movie! - MICKEY ROONEY stars 'IT CAME UPON THE MIDNIGHT CLEAR' WBRC Adv.
7:30	3 (13) Family Ties
8:00	4 (4) 421 Simon & Simon
	5 (10) Sneak Previews
	3 (13) Cheers
	11 (21) MOVIE: 'An American Christmas Carol'
	17 Top Rank Boxing - Double Main Event
	7 700 Club
8:30	5 (10) On Target
	3 (13) Night Court
	4 (4) 421 Knot's Landing
	5 (10) Bluegrass Block
	3 (13) Hill Street Blues
	12 (2) 61 20/20 (CC)
9:30	7 My Little Margie
	4 (4) 421 Rituals
10:00	5 (10) Wild America Special
	3 (13) 12 (2) 61 News
	11 (21) That's Incredible
	7 Bill Cosby Show
	4 (4) 421 Newhart
	3 (13) M*A*S*H
	11 (21) Sanford and Son
	17 SportsCenter
	7 Best of Groucho
11:00	12 (2) 61 Benson
	4 (4) 421 MOVIE: 'The Kid from Left Field'
	3 (13) 131 Barney Miller
	11 (21) MOVIE: 'Murder in Peyton Place'
	17 Mazda SportsLook
	7 Burns & Allen
	12 (2) 61 Starkey and Hutch
11:30	17 Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City
	7 Love That Bob
	11 (21) Married Joan
	4 (4) 421 Police Woman
12:30	3 (13) Late Night with David Letterman
	7 Dobbie Gillis
	4 (4) 421 CBS News Nightwatch
	11 (21) MOVIE: 'Agatha'
	7 Bachelor Father
	12 (2) 61 MOVIE: 'Goliath Awaits' Part 2
1:30	5 (10) Carol Burnett
	7 Blondie
	3 (13) News
	17 SportsCenter
	7 700 Club
2:30	17 Numero Uno: Skiing
3:00	17 NCAA Division II Women's Volleyball Championship from Portland, OR
	12 (2) 61 Tom York's Morning Show
3:30	7 Ross Bagley
4:00	17 Prog Cont'd
	12 (2) 61 News
	17 Mazda SportsLook
	7 Another Life
4:30	12 (2) 61 Jimmy Swaggart
FRIDAY 12/14/84	
MORNING	
8:00	17 SportsCenter
8:30	17 NCAA Soccer
9:00	11 (21) MOVIE: 'Violent Saturday'
9:30	17 World Cup Skiing: Men's Slalom
11:00	17 Best Kicks of '84 - PKA Full Contact Karate
AFTERNOON	
12:30	17 SCCA Budweiser Trans-Am
1:00	17 (21) MOVIE: 'Legend of Custer'
	17 Professional Golf: 1984 Chrysler Invitational - Second Round from Boca Raton, FL
3:00	17 Kennel Club Dog Show
3:30	17 NCAA Division III Women's Volleyball Championship from Elmhurst, IL
5:00	17 ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
5:30	17 Mazda SportsLook
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6:00	4 (4) 421 Family Feud
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	3 (13) 12 (2) 61 News
	11 (21) CHiPs
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	5 (10) For the Record
	11 (21) Wheel of Fortune
	17 NFL's Greatest Moments
	12 (2) 61 Entertainment Tonight
7:00	4 (4) 421 Dukes of Hazzard

THURSDAY 12/13/84	
MORNING	
8:00	4 (4) 421 Dallas (CC)
	5 (10) Washington Week/Review
	3 (13) Miami Vice
	11 (21) MOVIE: 'A Tree Grows in Brooklyn'
8:30	17 Auto Racing: Sandowns 1000
9:00	12 (2) 61 NFL Football: Los Angeles Rams at San Francisco
	5 (10) '84 South Central Marching Classic
	12 (2) 61 Wide World of Sports
	4 (4) 421 Wall Street Journal Report
	5 (10) Christmas at Boy's Town
	11 (21) Soul Train
	7 The Monroes
	4 (4) 421 CBS News
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A Honor Roll

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April Jordan, Emily Jordan, Mark Kiel, Carin Lampkin, An-dra Laxton, Christy Lescota, Jamie Malone, Donna McNider, Dolly Pendergrass, Matt Ponder, Maria Rhodes, Adam Snable, Elizabeth Taylor, Chris Townley, John Wyatt.

Third grade: Stephanie Berryhill, Stephanie Blake, Keith Brasher, Carrie Burritt, Emily Hampton, Marsha Harwell, Shannon Knight, David Lowe, Shelley Lavett, Jennifer Nagel, Courtney Purvis, Eric Stevenson, Paige Waldrop.

Fourth grade: Lee Anne Camp-bell, Rob Marus, Craig Parker, Kimberly Romano, Kirsten Schafer, Scotty Tice.

Fifth grade: Dawn Brogden, Ross Dixon, Beth Lidikay, Tami

Lydolph, Tracy McElmurray, James Schafer.

A-B Honor Roll

Second grade: Jacob Allbritton, Brandi K. Bailey, Lisa Bearden, Michele Bowling, Kelly Brown, Jonathan Burton, Robbie Butler, Amy Cameron, Ryan Clements, Eric Crowe, Jason Dees, Lane DeShazo, Brad Dobbins, Evan Gunter, Tim Hannan,

Diana Holslag, Nicholas Johnson, Rashunda Jones, Bryan Jordan, Melissa Kearly, Eric King, John Kopp, Allison Luke, Jaime Ranelli, Adrian Rickert, Chris Russell, Michael Sprague, J.C. Stunda, Allen Turner.

Third grade: Susannah Barnes, David Branning, Tim Braswell, Keith Brower, Michael Cash, Jill Cassidy, Dustin Chandler, Adam Colvin, Rick Comer, Kelli Fought, Kristin Gould, Pam Henderson, Jennifer Hipp, Noel Johnson, Tiffany Lunsford,

Mandy McNeil, Ryan Mindemann, Joel Morton, Jeremy Pipkin, Cheryl Prentice, Johnny Ranelli, Jason Riley, Sherry Scott, Sandy Smith, Pam Taylor, Cissy Tehranchi, Ryan Van Horn, Beth Wilson, Janna Wyatt.

Fourth grade: Christy Alexander,

Susan Alme, Jennifer Ball, Shawn Beaty, Emily Benington, Amy Carder, Heather Charlton, Gwen Church, Nicole Clements, Melanie Franklin, Stacey Holt, Sabrina Huda, Brad Hunt, Jen-nifer Isbell, Kimberly Jopp, Mat-thew Kearley, Lorrie Kiel, Chris Kurtz, Tiffany Larkin, Rue Massey, Marla McCully, Kristen Miller, Thad Philips, Megan Pur-vis, Brandon Scruggs, Leah Spraggins, Dana Stephenson, Jim Taylor, Cathy Watkins, Chad White, Becky Woodard, Jason Wylie, Shea Yearwood.

Fifth grade: Heather Brinson, Mary Ellen Brothers, Bridgette Brown, Kim Burrell, Sherri Col-by, Lori Dunn, Pam Eich, Heather Foshee, Peter Gage, Tamela Gregg, Chris Hartin, Scott Heald, Laura Herbst, Angie Hightower, Brian Hite, Matt Jordan, Susan Lampkin, Karyn Lanier, Brandon Love, Brian McLendon,

Matt McNeil, Jay Patton, Stacy Ranelli, Kenny Reynolds, Jennifer Rye, Joel Rye, Spencer Smith, Kristin Stuckey, Roddy Taylor, Michelle Thomas, Anna Marie Thomasson, Stephanie Thompson, Jenny Woeste, Mary Jane Wolf, Natalie York.



Swedish tasting

June Storey, president of the Southeast Shelby Home Demonstration Club, serves Swedish native Patrick Steen at a tasting party put on by the Homemaker's council in Columbiana last week.

Nina Kent, coordinator of the event, which focused on food from Sweden, prepares to serve the guest from abroad and his host in this country, Trea Johnson from Alabaster.

'Holiday House' opens in Chelsea

"Holiday House" will be open 1-6 p.m., Dec. 14-16 in Chelsea. Theron Holcombe has been decorating her home and making Christmas ornaments for months and now everything's ready for the holidays.

spirit. Her home is on County 47 North near the Chelsea Post Of-

fice. Look for signs pointing the way to "Holiday House."

Mrs. Holcombe is the treasurer of Hixie Anna No. 490 Order of the Eastern Star, Chelsea. Proceeds from the \$1.00 donation at the door and the sale of any of her many handmade decorations will benefit the Eastern Star's cancer and heart fund.

Three trees will be displayed to give visitors decorating ideas. One is decorated in handmade or-naments, one in red bows and garland, and one tree - especial-ly for children - is decorated with wooden toys.

Mrs. Holcombe will serve refreshments during the open house and invites everyone to come get into the Christmas

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International food

Ong Jet Wee of Malaysia serves up one of approximately 40 dishes at the University of Montevallo's recent International Food Fair. Christy Newman of Goodwater and Michelle Pearson of Calera (right) among those on hand to try a new taste or two. The annual fair is sponsored by UM's Association of International Students, which includes members from some 15 foreign countries.



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8:30 (1) (17) NCAA Soccer
9:00 (1) (11) [21] MOVIE: 'Violent Saturday'
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AFTERNOON
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12:30 (1) (10) Quilting
(1) (13) News Special
(1) (2) [6] MOVIE: 'Getting Away From It All'
1:00 (1) (10) Pianist at Work
(1) (13) Pop! Goes the County
(1) (11) [21] MOVIE: 'Graveyard of Horror'
(1) (7) Professional Golf: 1984 Chrysler Invitational - Third Round from Boca Raton, FL
1:30 (1) (10) Victory Garden
(1) (13) Music City, U.S.A.
(1) (7) Call of the West
(1) (5) [10] Advances in Health
(1) (13) That Nashville Music
(1) (7) MOVIE: 'Outlaws of the Range'
(1) (2) [6] Ronnie Milsap Celebration
(1) (10) Matinee at the Bijou
2:30 (1) (13) NFL '84
2:45 (1) (4) [42] NCAA Basketball: DePaul at Georgetown OR Tulsa at Arkansas
3:00 (1) (13) NFL Football: Denver at Rams
(1) (11) [21] College Football: California Bowl
(1) (7) College Football '84: California Bowl from Fresno, CA
3:30 (1) (7) Wyatt Earp
(1) (7) Wagon Train
4:00 (1) (5) [10] '84 South Central Marching Classic
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Inverness names honor roll

Inverness Elementary School announces the honor roll for the first nine weeks grading period.

A Honor Roll

Second grade: Christopher Armor, Brandi Bailey, Jennifer Barrett, Amber Bishop, Nikki Boyd, Brittney Brannon, Ryan Colby, Chuck Collins, Jamie Conway, Deena Coody, Shannon Cook, David Davis, Ellen Faulkner, Leslie Grant, Katie Helms, Sarah Hickman, Preston Hite,

April Jordan, Emily Jordan, Mark Kiel, Carin Lampkin, Andra Laxton, Christy Lescota, Jamie Malone, Donna McNider, Dolly Pendergrass, Matt Ponder, Maria Rhodes, Adam Snable, Elizabeth Taylor, Chris Townley, John Wyatt.

Third grade: Stephanie Berryhill, Stephanie Blake, Keith Brasher, Carrie Burritt, Emily Hampton, Marsha Harwell, Shannon Knight, David Lowe, Shelley Lavett, Jennifer Nagel, Courtney Purvis, Eric Stevenson, Paige Waldrop.

Fourth grade: Lee Anne Campbell, Rob Marus, Craig Parker, Kimberly Romano, Kirsten Schafer, Scotty Tice.

Fifth grade: Dawn Brogden, Ross Dixon, Beth Lidikay, Tami

Lydolph, Tracy McElmurray, James Schafer.

A-B Honor Roll

Second grade: Jacob Allbritton, Brandi K. Bailey, Lisa Bearden, Michele Bowling, Kelly Brown, Jonathan Burton, Robbie Butler, Amy Cameron, Ryan Clements, Eric Crowe, Jason Dees, Lane DeShazo, Brad Dobbins, Evan Gunter, Tim Hannan,

Diana Holslag, Nicholas Johnson, Rashunda Jones, Bryan Jordan, Melissa Kearly, Eric King, John Kopp, Allison Luke, Jaime Ranelli, Adrian Rickert, Chris Russell, Michael Sprague, J.C. Stunda, Allen Turner.

Third grade: Susannah Barnes, David Branning, Tim Braswell, Keith Brower, Michael Cash, Jill Cassidy, Dustin Chandler, Adam Colvin, Rick Comer, Kelli Faught, Kristin Gould, Pam Henderson, Jennifer Hipp, Noel Johnson, Tiffany Lunsford,

Mandy McNeil, Ryan Mindemann, Joel Morton, Jeremy Pipkin, Cheryl Prentice, Johnny Ranelli, Jason Riley, Sherry Scott, Sandy Smith, Pam Taylor, Cissy Tehranchi, Ryan Van Horn, Beth Wilson, Janna Wyatt.

Fourth grade: Christy Alexander,

Susan Alme, Jennifer Ball, Shawn Beaty, Emily Benington, Amy Carder, Heather Charlton, Gwen Church, Nicole Clements, Melanie Franklin, Stacey Holt, Sabrina Huda, Brad Hunt, Jennifer Isbell, Kimberly Jopp, Matthew Kearley, Lorrie Kiel, Chris Kurtz, Tiffany Larkin, Rue Massey, Marla McCully, Kristen Miller, Thad Phillips, Megan Purvis, Brandon Scruggs, Leah Spraggins, Dana Stephenson, Jim Taylor, Cathy Watkins, Chad White, Becky Woodard, Jason Wylie, Shea Yearwood.

Fifth grade: Heather Brinson, Mary Ellen Brothers, Bridgette Brown, Kim Burrell, Sherri Colby, Lori Dunn, Pam Eich, Heather Foshee, Peter Gage, Tamela Gregg, Chris Hartin, Scott Heald, Laura Herbst, Angie Hightower, Brian Hite, Matt Jordan, Susan Lampkin, Karyn Lanier, Brandon Love, Brian McLendon,

Matt McNeil, Jay Patton, Stacy Ranelli, Kenny Reynolds, Jennifer Rye, Joel Rye, Spencer Smith, Kristin Stuckey, Roddy Taylor, Michelle Thomas, Anna Marie Thomasson, Stephanie Thompson, Jenny Woeste, Mary Jane Wolf, Natalie York.



Swedish tasting

June Storey, president of the Southeast Shelby Home Demonstration Club, serves Swedish native Patrick Steen at a tasting party put on by the Homemakers' council in Columbiana last week.

Nina Kent, coordinator of the event, which focused on food from Sweden, prepares to serve the guest from abroad and his host in this country, Treia Johnson from Alabaster.

'Holiday House' opens in Chelsea

"Holiday House" will be open 1-6 p.m., Dec. 14-16 in Chelsea. Theron Holcombe has been decorating her home and making Christmas ornaments for months and now everything's ready for the holidays.

spirit. Her home is on County 47 North near the Chelsea Post Of-

fice. Look for signs pointing the way to "Holiday House."

International food

Ong Jet Wee of Malaysia serves up one of approximately 40 dishes at the University of Montevallo's recent International Food Fair. Christy Newman of Goodwater and Michelle Pearson of Calera (right) among those on hand to try a new taste or two. The annual fair is sponsored by UM's Association of International Students, which includes members from some 15 foreign countries.





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MRS. JEFFERY CARDWELL
...former Julia Kathryn Butler

Miss Butler is married

Miss Julia Kathryn Butler and Mr. Jeffery Dale Cardwell were united in marriage on Dec. 8 at Pates Chapel Baptist Church in Jemison. A reception followed.

The parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Grayham V. Lynch of Huntsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cardwell of Montevallo. The bride is also the daughter of the late Joe F. Butler.

Matron of honor was the brides sister, Diane Walker of Valdosta, Ga. Other attendants were: Nita Frye of Prattville; Melody Burnette of Thorsby; Jennifer Burnette (Jr.

bridesmaid) of Thorsby; and Renee Rowe (flowergirl) of Montevallo.

The groom's father served as best man. The groomsmen were Greg Cardwell (brother of groom), Allan Thompson and Farrel Rowe, all of Montevallo, Darryl Burnette of Thorsby and Justin Lynch (ring bearer) of Huntsville.

Music was presented by Mrs. Martha Thomas of Atlanta, Ga. and Jerry Bullock of Birmingham accompanied her on the piano.

After a wedding trip to Gatlinburg the couple will reside in Montevallo.



CHRISTY ANN GASKIN
...to wed Timothy Alexander

Gaskin, Alexander plan December nuptials

Christy Ann Gaskin and Timothy F. Alexander announce their engagement.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Gaskin of Indiana; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Alexander of Alabaster.

Miss Gaskin is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Boone of Birmingham; and Mrs. Alice Gaskin of Kentucky.

She is a 1979 graduate of Shelby County High School.

Mr. Alexander is the grandson

of the late Mr. and Mrs. David E. Aldrich of Fayette; and the late Mr. and Mrs. Austin Alexander of Carbon Hill.

He is a 1979 graduate of Thompson High School.

Both are presently employed by Alabama Power Company working at the E.C. Gaston Steam Plant in Wilsonville.

The wedding is planned for 4 p.m., Dec. 29, at Fourmile Baptist Church.

Social news

by Paula Seale

Paul Barber of Montevallo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Barber, is a finalist for the University of Montevallo's Mr. and Miss Montevallo.

The finalist were announced recently at Elite Night, sponsored by the University of Montevallo Student Government Association.

The winners, elected by the student body, will be announced during Homecoming/College Night Festivities in February.

Airman 1st class Jeffrey Simmons, son of T.E. and Wilma Simmons of Alabaster, has graduated from the Air Force fuel systems mechanic course at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

Simmons is a 1980 graduate of Thompson High School. He is scheduled to serve with the 437th Field Maintenance Squadron at Charleston, S.C.

Airman Ricky Dailey, grandson of Nellie Cochran of Montevallo, has graduated from the U.S. Air Force security police specialist course at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Four Shelby County people are among 17 University of Montevallo students who were recently initiated into Kappa Delta Pi education honorary.

The new initiates are:

• Wanda Freels of Pelham, spouse of Robert Freels.

• Nora Gaskin of Montevallo, spouse of Garry W. Gaskin.

• Cathy Johnson of Alabaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Johnson.

• Tammy McDaniel of Montevallo, daughter of Wanda Bailey.

The University of Montevallo Student Government Association recognized the outstanding seniors in each campus department during the recent Elite Night ceremony.

Four of the senior elites are from Shelby County. They are:

• Renee Dellinger of Pelham, Theatre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dellinger.

• Mary Horton of Montevallo, Counseling and Guidance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Barlow of Camden.

• Toshi Ishikuma of Montevallo, Psychology, son of Yasuki and Takiko Ishikuma of Japan.

• Beth Wilkinson of Montevallo, Marketing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Wilkinson.

The Shelby County Chapter of Alabama Friends of Adoption will have a Christmas dinner at 6:30, on Dec. 13 at Helena United Methodist Church.

The church is located on County 58.

Anyone interested in knowing more about adoption is welcome to attend.

For more information: Steve Howe 669-7677.

Montevallo Methodist Kindergarten is now registering for an additional program for three year old children.

This program will begin in January.

To register your child - call 665-7535 or 665-7541.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Glenn Buckner on the birth of their new baby girl.

Brandi Shea was born at South East Baptist Hospital in San Antonio, TX on Nov. 29. She weighed 5 lbs. 13 oz. and was 18½ inches long.

She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Linda Chandler of Columbiana; and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garland of Florida. She is also the great granddaughter of Mrs. Ruby Mooney of Columbiana.

Brandi Shea made the fourth generation of the Mooney family.

Tracy Ann Wingard, daughter of Herbert (Jr.) and Patricia Wingard, celebrated her birthday on Dec. 7.

Tracy celebrated her 13th birthday with a few cousins, Mandi,

David, Amber and Adam, her brother Chris and a host of family and friends.

She is the granddaughter of James and Dean Simmons of Homewood (formerly of Alabaster); and Herbert (Sr.) and Mae Wingard of Trussville.

Attention Readers: The Reporter has adopted a new policy concerning birthdays. We will accept birthday pictures with announcements, at no charge, up to age three.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pickett of Pea Ridge will celebrate their Golden wedding anniversary in their home on Sunday, December 23 from 1 p.m. til 5 p.m.

This party is being given by Mr. and Mrs. Pickett's children, Barbara, Judy, granddaughter Jennifer and daughter-in-law Lisa.

All friends and relatives invited. No gifts.

If there is anything socially newsworthy in your community, please call Paula Seale at 669-3131.

Deadlines for weddings, engagements, birthdays, 50th wedding anniversaries or any social news involving a picture is NOON Friday.

Christmas social deadlines...

Social deadlines for the Christmas issue of the Reporter (Dec. 27) will change from usual.

All birthdays, weddings,

engagements, obituaries, social and church news is due no later than 5 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 20.

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Local talent will present special Christmas songs, instrument solos, and other songs.

The youth choir from Mt. Signal Baptist will also present a Christmas version of "Kids Praise."

The church is located on County 39, approximately two miles from Chelsea High School.

The First Baptist Church of Vincent will have the following this month:

●Dec. 16 - Contada (adults) "King of Love" at 11 a.m. - (childrens) "Christmas 2001" at 6 p.m.

Church news

●Dec. 19 - Candelight carol sing celebration.

●Dec. 20 - Kindergarten Christmas program at 9:30 a.m.

●Dec. 24 - Christmas Eve candlelight communion at 6:30 p.m.

Pelham Church of God will have its children's Christmas musical "Psalty's Christmas Calamity" on Dec. 16 at 11 a.m. The Rev. Tim Brown invites all to attend.

On Oct. 30 the children of Montevallo Methodist Kindergarten visited Briarcliff Nursing Home. The children, dressed in their Halloween costumes, helped a resident of the Nursing home celebrate a birthday.

Previous field trips were:
●Plays - Snoopy & Cinderella presented by the University of Montevallo.

●Toured Shelby Medical Center.
●Pony rides on the school grounds.

Cleere art is shown at SMC

Artist Bill Cleere will be featured in Shelby Medical Center's art gallery this month.

"I'm trying to preserve in my paintings, things and scenes that may not be here for future generations to enjoy," says Cleere of his award winning work.

Many of his works depict scenes that he fears will someday be covered by asphalt and steel.

Cleere lives in Maylene with his wife, Ann, and their two children, David and Jennifer.

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Obituaries

ELIZABETH G. ISBELL
Elizabeth Isbell, 75, of Columbiana, died in Tuscaloosa Hospital on Dec. 5.

She is survived by her husband, Barney Isbell; daughters, Jane Windham and Nancy Blankenship of Columbiana; brothers, Richard Franklin of Georgia and William Franklin of Tennessee; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Bolton-Brown Service Chapel on Dec. 6 with interment at Columbiana City Cemetery.

DANIEL GLASS

Daniel Glass, 58, of Wilton, died in V.A. Hospital on Dec. 6.

He is survived by his widow, Ella Wvonne Glass; father, Foster Glass of Clanton; son Jerry Wayne Glass of Georgia; step-son, Robert Threath of Gardendale; sister, Margie Perry of Adger; four step-brothers, Hubert Glasscock of Texas, Raymond Glasscock of Birmingham, Gilbert Glasscock of Greenpond, J.T. Glasscock of Clanton; and four step-granddaughters.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 8, at Hoffman-Rockco Chapel with interment at Columbiana Cemetery.

ERNEST GRADY ARLEDGE

Ernest Arledge, 62, of Birmingham, died in Brookwood Medical Center on Dec. 5.

He is survived by his widow, Pauline Arledge; mother, Naomi Arledge and father, Willie Arledge, both of Montevallo; three brothers, Joe Arledge of Montevallo, Hollice Arledge of Bessemer, Billy Arledge of Chalkville; four sisters, Lillian Williams of Birmingham, Hazel Evans and Peggy Scott, both of Montevallo, and Shirley Jones of Wilton.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 7 at Hoffman-Rockco Service Chapel with interment in Morris Cemetery.

GEORGE MAYNARD BARNETT

George Barnett, 83, of Pelham, died at Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 7.

He is survived by his widow, Velma Barnett; three sons, Harland and Marlin Barnett of Alabaster, Marvin Barnett of Centreville; three daughters, Helen Roberson and Lucille McGaughy, both of Alabaster, Lois Pate of Pelham; step-son, Floyd Gentry of Pelham; two sisters, Alamae Lavinsky of Tuscaloosa, Oda Inzer of Trussville; 29 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandson.

Funeral services were held December 9, at Pelham Church of God with interment at Elliottsville Cemetery.

FLOYD HUBERT PHILLIPS

Floyd Phillips, 76, of Louisiana, died in V.A. Hospital in New Orleans on Dec. 3.

He is survived by his son, Don Phillips of Florida; daughter, Barbara Pendley of Georgia; two brothers, James Phillips of Alabaster, John Phillips of Montgomery; sister, Lyndell Bryan of Birmingham.

The graveside service was held on Dec. 5, at Macedonia Cemetery.

JULIUS ELMER FRITH, SR.

Julius Frith, Sr., 63, of Panama City, FL., died on Dec. 1.

He is survived by his son, Julius E. Frith, Jr. of Montevallo; two brothers, Kenneth Frith of Georgia, Louis Frith of Plantersville; sister Jeanette Russell of Plantersville; and one grandchild.

The graveside service was held on Dec. 4 at Pilgram Rest Cemetery.

HENRY GLADSTONE LIDDELL

Henry Liddell, 87, of Montevallo, died at Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 5.

He is survived by his sister, Viola Agness Lindsey of Montevallo; and his brother Charles Liddell of Texas.

The funeral services were held on Dec. 8 at Hoffman-Rockco Service Chapel with interment in Antioch Cemetery.

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663-9295
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday (F.T.H.) 7 p.m.

Antioch I Baptist Church
Kingdom Community
Columbiana
Howard Brasher, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Training Union 6 p.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer 7 p.m.

Apostolic Truth Center
Hwy 25, South of Columbiana
669-9371
John Beane, Pastor
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Sunday Night 7 p.m.
Mid-Week, Wednesday 7 p.m.
Come Worship With Us

Bay Springs Baptist Church
South of Shelby
669-9075
Truman Graves, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 a.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethel Baptist Church
Int. Hwys. 25 & 49
Glenn Langner, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Baptist Church
1 Block N.E. of Springcreek
Grocery at Hwys. 71 & 46
665-4549
Pat Edwin Minshew, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Everyone Welcome, Please Come

Briarwood Presbyterian Church
6255 Cahaba Valley Road
(South Location)
Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
Worship Services 9:45 a.m.

Calcis Missionary Baptist
Hwy 25, between Vincent & Sterrett
John B. Dye, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"The Family Church"

Calera Baptist Church
Corner of Hwys 31 So & 25
Mack D. McCollum, Pastor
Minister of Ed./Youth, Joseph Sorah
Minister of Music, Debra Horton
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Vincent
672-9384
Bill Nugent, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Christ Church, United Methodist
5191 Caldwell Mill Road,
Birmingham, Alabama 35244
991-5065
Byron White, Minister
Worship 8:30 - 9:40 - 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:40 & 11 a.m.
U.M.Y.F. 5 p.m.
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Christ the King Lutheran Church
611 Riverchase Parkway West
988-5004
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Worship 10:30 a.m.
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Columbiana Church of Christ
Joe W. Pruett, Minister
Hwy 25 By-Pass Columbiana
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Columbiana First Baptist
"The Friendly Church"
Tim Williams, Pastor
669-3128
208 No. Main St., Columbiana
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 6:30 p.m.

Crosscreek Baptist Church
600 Crosscreek Trail, Pelham
663-4886
Dr. Richard Wash, Pastor
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"Creative Christianity"

Enon Baptist Church
Rick Evans, Pastor
Intersection Co. Rds. 89 & 18
Between Montevallo & Calera
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7 p.m.

1st Baptist Church of Alabaster
Corner of 3rd Ave. & 9th St. NW
Dr. Wayne Crumpton, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
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changeable system, and those who are so oppressed that they silently acquiesce that have no hope. Those who know hurt and grief, who long for newness and publicly say so, they are the ones who hope.

The Isaiah passage both begins and ends with the highly significant affirmation of the Fatherhood of God. We know who we are, even in the midst of turmoil, hurt and waiting, because we know who God is!

And God is the one who has done and will do incredible things. The post-exilic Jewish community reached back into its collective memory to recall the great events of the Exodus. It was for that sort of intervention that the community longed once again. "Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down, that the mountains would quake at your presence," they prayed. It was a call, as Byron Rohrig put it in a recent "Christian Century" article, for God to pick up the world by the seat of the pants and shake it till its teeth rattled!

That such intervention will happen is exactly the promise of Advent. Looking at the present world, one would think that the word of Advent is silly or even a lie. The system of values commonly followed shows no sign of being overturned in favor of a more just, peaceable or compassionate world. There is still crime, evil, war, grief, suffering, hurt and death.

But into this, Advent interjects a gigantic little word: "YET." "Yet, O Lord, you are our Father..." We can know that hope is real because we know the work of God, a work that is surprising, shocking, and shattering in its impact. Our God is a God who works for those who wait for Him.

Therefore, wait, and watch, and work, resilient in the confidence that God is with us even in the midst of present trouble, and that one day His son will come to make the nations tremble.

Grace Chapel
Hwy 17, Maylene
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Rev. Dwight Joiner
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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday night 7 p.m.

Helena Baptist Church
Bill Heaton, Pastor
Junction of Hwys. 52 & 261
Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Worship 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Hickory Hills Worship Center
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Eugene Grater, Pastor
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Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.
Midweek Services 7 p.m.
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Liberty Baptist Church
Jimmy Dean, Pastor
Columbiana Cut-Off, Hwy 26
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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Training Union 5 p.m.
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Mid-week Services 7 p.m.

Montevallo First Baptist
Thomas Mansell, Pastor
Corner of Middle & Main St.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Programs 5:45 p.m.

Montevallo Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
Shelby at Alabama St., Montevallo
665-7360
Thomas A. Cheatham, Pastor
Church School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Presbyterian Student Center
41 Vine St., 665-7360

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church
Junction of Cahaba Valley Rd., Valleydale and Caldwell Mill Rd.
991-5488 or 991-6288
Mass, Sat. (Vigil) 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Confession, Saturday 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Father Michael J. White, Pastor

Pelham First Assembly of God
Pastor: Stan Littleton
Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Family Night (Wednesday) 7 p.m.
663-6424 or 663-9064

Pelham United Methodist Church
Co. Rd. 52 and Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir & Youth Programs
Sunday 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
663-3309
David Wallace, Pastor

Slurla Baptist Church
Dr. Harlice Keown, Pastor
Hwy 119, Alabaster
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Episcopal
The Rev. Joseph L. Knott
Oak & Ploverman St., Montevallo
665-1667
Holy Eucharist 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.

Westwood Baptist Church
7th Ave. SW, Alabaster
664-0122
Sunday Worship 8:45 - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Sunday Bible Study & Church Training, 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:15 p.m.
"A Church Worth Finding"
Dr. Charles Inman, Pastor

Wildwood Chapel Assembly of God
Columbiana Cut-Off, Hwy 26
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.
Edith Morgan, Pastor

65 named to nat'l deans' list

A total of 65 students from this area are included in the seventh annual edition of THE NATIONAL DEAN'S LIST, published by Educational Communications in Illinois.

Students are selected for recognition by their registrars or deans and are on their school's Dean's List. The 85,000 students included in the current edition are from 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide and represent one half of one percent of the more than 8,000,000 college students in the country.

Local students selected include:

ALABASTER
Jeanne Acton, Wallace St. Selma; Diane Glasscock, UM; Angelic Hopwood, UM; Celeste Nunnally, UM; Stella Seagle,

UAB; Kathryn Simmons, UM.
CALERA
Gwendolyn Todd, UM.
CHELSEA
Joni Morgan, UM; Catherine Yon, BSC.
COLUMBIANA
Emily Joiner, UM; Patricia Jones, UM; Gina Moore, Wallace St. Selma.
HARPERSVILLE
Valerie Fraser, Auburn; Katherine McCarley, UM; Sheila Spates, UM.
HELENA
Bruce Thompson, UAB.
LEEDS
Julie Reynolds, UM.
MAYLENE
Karen Birkenfield, UM; Lydia Wooten, UM.
MONTEVALLO
Therese Bergin, UM; Jahn

Bolling, AL. A&M; Ahrian Davis, UM; Kathy Fountain, UM; Nita Fridley, UM; Robert Jernigan, Jr., UM; Nancy Jones, UM; Mohammad Khan, UM; Carolyn May, UM; Tammy McDaniel, UM; Richard Metts, UM; Gladys Nix, UM; Susan Paisley, UM; Michele Readal, UM; Glenda Sailes, Southern Bus. Col.; Kathy Sandidge, UM; Kathy Self, UM; Lee Snow, UM; David Stevens, UM; Teresa Walters, UM.
PELHAM
Cheryl Blackburn, Samford; Wanda Freels, UM; Shirley McKinnis, UM; Faye Smith, UAB.
SHELBY
Teresa Morrison, Samford.
STERRITT
Celeste Melton, UM.

WILSONVILLE
Wanda Phelps, UM.
WILTON
Nancy Wilstach, UM.
INVERNESS
Elizabeth Bailey, UM; Richard Barneau, Miles Col.; James Blackburn, UM; Mary Donlevy, Pepperdine; Margaret Hunter, U. of South AL.; Jeannie Little, Fla. St.; Jonathan Moultrie, UM; Nancy Noble, UM; Barbara Olschner, Samford; Beverly Pollard, Samford; Sandra Price, UM; Kathryn Pruet, Auburn; Susan Ramsey-Barneau, Samford.
RIVERCHASE
Melody Bailey, UM; Katherine Eagerton, Samford, Elaine McCain, Samford, Dana Payne, UAB; Cindy Sirmon, Samford; Marybeth Wingo.



Arthritis speech

Stephen Krane, M.D., (right) delivered the second annual John and Margaret Cochran Lecture at UAB recently. After the speech, which was dedicated to research into arthritis, Dr. Krane talked with William Koopman, M.D., of Chelsea, who is the director of the division of clinical immunology and rheumatology of UAB's Department of Medicine and Howard L. Holley, M.D., professor of medicine in the division, who is a personal friend of the Cochranes of Mobile.

Movie critic

Movie critic, columnist and author Robert Osborne (right) recently spent two days at the University of Montevallo discussing the film industry and Hollywood. Chatting with Osborne are (from left) faculty member Karl Perkins and students Martha Crocker of Montevallo and Virginia Stern of Opelika.



Legal notices

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Housing America, Inc. to United Federal Savings and Loan Association (now known as First Southern Federal Savings and Loan Association) on the 7th day of June, 1978, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 379 at page 89, and assigned to Sergei Kampakis on the 26th day of November, 1984, by instrument recorded in Book 010 at page 544, the undersigned Sergei Kampakis as transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 28th day of December, 1984, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot 5, Block 3 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision, together with all improvements thereon. Said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 6, Page 59.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Sergei Kampakis
Transferee
Steven B. Cornblum
1100 Financial Center
Birmingham, AL 35203
Attorney for Transferee
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 643

LEGAL NOTICE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Housing America, Inc. to United Federal Savings and Loan Association (now known as First Southern Federal Savings and Loan Association) on the 15th day of May, 1978, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 378 at page 139, and assigned to Sergei Kampakis on the 26th day of November, 1984, by instrument recorded in Book 010 at page 544, the undersigned Sergei Kampakis as transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 28th day of December, 1984, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot 14, Block 1 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
Lot 15, Block 1 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
Lot 10, Block 2 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
Lot 13, Block 2 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
Lot 6, Block 3 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
Lot 8, Block 3 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision;
and
Lot 9, Block 3 of the Meadowgreen Subdivision.
Said Meadowgreen Subdivision is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 6, Page 59.
Said real estate will first be offered for sale separately as to each lot, and then all of the lots will be sold for the higher of (a) the aggregate of the separate highest bid for each lot covered by the mortgage and (b) the highest bid for all the property offered en masse covered by said mortgage.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Sergei Kampakis
Transferee
Steven B. Cornblum
1100 Financial Center
Birmingham, AL 35203
Attorney for Transferee
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 641

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of George Swift Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 26th day of November, 1984 by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher Shelby County Reporter
Sikhon Wesley Wooley, Executor of Estate of George Swift, deceased.
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 637

LEGAL NOTICE
The Shelby County Airport Authority, Alabama will accept resumes of qualifications and experience from architects, engineers, and planning consultants interested in performing the proposed projects described below.
Resumes must be submitted to:
Mr. Douglas H. Ballard
Shelby County Airport Authority
P.O. Box 695
Pelham, AL 35124
These resumes of qualifications and experience must be received no later than Jan. 1, 1985.
The work to be performed will include preparation of a current Airport Layout Plan in accordance with FAA directives, activity justification cost benefit analysis and preparation of engineering design of runway improvement, taxiway and apron construction, electrical design, runway marking, obstruction removal, MBE study, land acquisition, and other improvements as may from time to time be required.
The sponsor will reflect prior experience in airport planning and construction design of airport pavements and design of airport electrical systems. References to verify the competency in these areas should be provided.
The sponsor will choose a Consultant of the highest ethical standards and professional standing in their field. The following items may be considered as selection criteria by the Selection Committee. Numerical weighting factors have been assigned these criteria for use by the Selection Committee. Weighting factors may be reviewed in the office of the Chairman.
1) Capability to perform all aspects of the project.
2) Recent experience in airport projects comparable to the proposed project.
3) Capability to complete work within the time frame specified.
4) Personnel to be assigned to project and their qualifications.
5) Physical location of firm in relation to Sponsor.
6) Firm's reputation, references given, etc.
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Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 639

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Onnie D. Miller Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of November, 1984 by Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher of Shelby County Reporter
Sikhon Miller Siddany Miller, Co-Executors of the Estate of Onnie D. Miller, deceased.
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 636

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Housing America, Inc. to United Federal Savings and Loan Association (now known as First Southern Federal Savings and Loan Association) on the 13th day of October, 1978, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of

Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 384 at page 148, and assigned to Sergei Kampakis on the 26th day of November, 1984, by instrument recorded in Book 010 at page 544, the undersigned Sergei Kampakis as transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 28th day of December, 1984, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Lot 16, Block 2 of Meadowgreen Subdivision, together with all improvements thereon. Said Meadowgreen Subdivision is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, in Map Book 6, Page 59.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Sergei Kampakis
Transferee
Steven B. Cornblum
1100 Financial Center
Birmingham, AL 35203
Attorney for Transferee
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 642

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Pattie S. Lubright deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 30th day of November, 1984 by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher of Shelby County Reporter
Robert W. Tucker, Jr.
Executor of the estate of Pattie S. Lubright
Robert W. Tucker, Jr.
Box 114
Montevallo, AL 35115
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 640

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION
Jimmy Charles Dennis, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Lottie Mae Dennis's petition for divorce and other relief by January 28, 1985, or, thereafter, a judgement by default may be rendered against him in Case No. DR-84-271 Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama.
Done the 29th day of Nov., 1984.
Kyle Lansford
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Shelby County
Perry N. Martin
B'ham Area Legal Services Corp.
P.O. Box 1607
Columbiana, AL 35051
Attorney for Lottie Mae Dennis
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 638

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Marshall Pickard, an unmarried man to Jeanette and Montez Tisser, as transferees, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Main entrance of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 19th day of December, 1984, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: Commence at the SW corner of the SW quarter of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, thence north along the section line 382.94 feet, then turn right 52° 52' to 519.29 feet to the point of beginning, thence turn right 90° 01' for 311.1 feet, then turn left 75° 30' for 358 feet, thence turn left 105° 17' for 276.57 feet, then turn left 11° 43' 30" for 75 feet to the Point of Beginning. Together with a non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress described as follows: Egress to be along a 30 foot wide strip lying east of the following described line: Commence at the SW corner of the SW quarter of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, thence north along the section line for 382.94 feet, then turn right 52° 52' for 519.29 feet, then turn right 90° 01' for 311.1 feet, then turn left 75° 30' for 358 feet, then turn left 105° 17' for 276.57 feet, then turn left 11° 43' 30" for 75 feet to the Point of Beginning. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Jeanette and Montez Tisser
Cheryl Wilkinson-Simonetti
Attorney for Mortgage
1134 22nd Street, North
Birmingham, AL 35204
Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 1984 No. 631

line, continue along the same line for 488.9 feet to the north right of way of South Shades Crest Road. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
Subject to existing easements, restrictions, set-back lines, rights of way, limitations, if any, of record.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Jeanette and Montez Tisser
Cheryl Wilkinson-Simonetti
Attorney for Mortgage
1134 22nd Street, North
Birmingham, AL 35204
Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 1984 No. 631

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of Roscoe Cecil Belcher Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 15th day of November, 1984 by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher of Shelby County Reporter
Dorothy Belcher
Executor of the estate of Roscoe Cecil Belcher
Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 1984 No. 627

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Application to Revise Coal Mine Permit (Rev. 2)
In accordance with the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1969, its regulations and specifically Section 880-K-9K-05, notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed an application to revise permit P-3217-07-88S, Grayhill-Nunnally Mine, in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16, Township 21 South, Range 5 West, Shelby and Bibb Counties. This proposed revision would add a haul road to the mine area in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 5 West. It also includes a change to the location of the permit boundary line for increments 2.3 and 4. west of Shades Creek and east of the Gray Hill-Blocton Road, in Sections 14, 15, and 16. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences concerning this application for revision should be filed with the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama, 35502-2390. The applicant, Allied Products Company, requests that copies of such comments or objections be sent to: Paragon Engineering, Inc., 3928 Montclair Road, Suite 230, Birmingham, Alabama 35213.
Dec. 13, 20, 27, 1984 No. 650

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Marshall A. Pickard, an unmarried man to Richmond Equity Corporation on the 26th day of June, 1984, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 451, Page 878 said mortgage being transferred on June 26, 1984 to Landbank Equity Corp., said transfer being recorded in Miscellaneous Book 57, Page 521, all records, the undersigned Landbank Equity Corp., as transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash on the 28th day of December, 1984, during the legal hours of sale, the following real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit: Commence at the SW corner of the SW quarter of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, thence north along the section line 382.94 feet, then turn right 52° 52' for 519.29 feet to the point of beginning, thence turn right 90° 01' for 311.1 feet, then turn left 75° 30' for 358 feet, then turn left 105° 17' for 276.57 feet, then turn left 11° 43' 30" for 75 feet to the Point of Beginning. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Sergei Kampakis
Transferee
Steven B. Cornblum
1100 Financial Center
Birmingham, AL 35203
Attorney for Transferee
Dec. 6, 13, 20, 1984 No. 641

degrees 15 minutes for 320.15 feet, then turn left 108 degrees 02 minutes 30 seconds for 520.42 feet, then turn left 72 degrees 53 minutes for 169.74 feet to the point of beginning. Subject to a non-exclusive easement 30 foot easement described as follows: Egress to be along a 30 foot wide strip lying east of the following described line: Commence at the SW corner of the SW quarter of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, thence north along the Section Line for 382.94 feet, then turn right 52 degrees 52 minutes for 519.29 feet, then turn right 90 degrees 01 minutes for 311.1 feet to the point of beginning of the Egress Strip line, continue along the same line for 488.9 feet to the north right of way of South Shades Crest Road. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expense of foreclosure.
Longshore and Longshore, Attorneys, W.L. Longshore, Jr., Attorneys for Transferee 423 Frank Nelson Building, Birmingham, AL 35203, Phone: 252-7661
Landbank Equity Corp. Transferee
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 657

LEGAL NOTICE
Councilman Draper introduced the following Ordinance:
ORDINANCE NO. 177
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ALABASTER, PROVIDING THAT THE CODE OF ALABASTER, BE AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS 5-70 TO 5-73, PROVIDING REGULATIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF BEVERAGE LICENSES.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALABASTER, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:
Section 1. That the code of Ordinance City of Alabaster, Alabama, be amended by adding Sections to be numbered 5-70 to 5-73, to read as follows:
"Sec. 5-70. Definition.
For the purposes of this ordinance, alcoholic beverage licensee is any person, firm, corporation, association, or other entity licensed or required to be licensed under Section 28-3A-21, Code of Alabama 1975, or Section 5-1, Alcoholic Beverages, of this Code.
Sec. 5-71. Regulations.
All alcoholic beverage licensees shall comply with the following:
(a) No licensed or required to be licensed person shall be permitted on the premises.
(b) No person not fully clothed shall be permitted on the premises.
(c) The portion of the premises open to patrons shall at all times be kept illuminated sufficiently so that all parts of the interior of the premises shall be clearly visible.
(d) No minors shall be employed by such alcoholic beverage licensee.
(e) No person who has been convicted of driving under the influence of intoxicants, public intoxication, or similar offense within the preceding twenty-four (24) months shall be employed by such alcoholic beverage licensee.
(f) No alcoholic beverage as defined in Section 28-3A-21(1), Code of Alabama 1975, shall be directly or indirectly offered, sold, or served to any minor, habitual drunkard, anyone visibly intoxicated, or anyone who is alcoholic beverage licensee or his employee or agent has reason to believe is intoxicated.
(g) No lewd or indecent dancing or other entertainment, conduct, or activity shall be permitted on the premises, including, but not limited to "topless", "bottomless", or nude dancing.
(h) Any alcoholic beverage licensee shall permit admittance to the premises at any time upon the verbal request of any police officer, building inspector, the mayor, or any member of the city council, for the purpose of making an inspection of such premises, or any part thereof.
Sec. 5-73. Violations; revocation of license.
Any alcoholic beverage licensee issued by the city may be revoked by the city upon the violation of any of the foregoing sections, requirements or provisions by the alcoholic beverage licensee or his agents or employees, provided the alcoholic beverage licensee is given notice and an opportunity for a hearing according to the provisions of Sec. 5-53 of this Code.
In the event of any revocation of an alcoholic beverage license in accordance with this section, the alcoholic beverage licensee shall not be entitled to the issuance of a subsequent alcoholic beverage license in the city or its police jurisdiction within twelve (12) months following the date of said revocation."

Section 2. Severability.
Each and every provision of this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an independent provision and the holding of any provision hereof to be void and invalid shall not affect any other provision of this ordinance.
Section 3. Effective date.
This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and adoption by the City Council of the City of Alabaster, Alabama.
ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of December, 1984.
Henry Dorsey
Clerk
CITY OF ALABASTER, ALABAMA
Roger A. Wheeler
Mayor
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 655

LEGAL NOTICE
State of Alabama County of Shelby By virtue of a decree rendered by the North Shelby County Fire and Emergency Medical District Board of Trustees, the Board will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the North Shelby County Fire and Emergency Medical District Station One location, which is 4617 Valleydale Road, Shelby County, Alabama. The sale will be held on Monday, December 17, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. The following described real estate will be sold for the fire district dues and other costs due thereon for the years 1982-1983, 1983-1984, 1984-1985.
BEAT 12
Charles H. Johnson - Lot 14, Block 2, 1st Sector Indian Valley Subdivision Map Book 5, Page 43
DUES & COSTS \$452.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 4. 6
Jack C. Acton, Jr. - Lot 17, Resurvey of Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19 3rd Sector, Indian Valley Subdivision, Map Book 5, Page 129
DUES & COSTS \$452.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 4. 6
James A. McCall - Lot 6, Block 2, 6th Sector, Indian Valley Subdivision Map Book 5, Page 118
DUES & COSTS \$327.50 Plus Adv.
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Ronald D. Dunbar - Lot 13, Parkside Subdivision, Map Book 7, Page 136
DUES & COSTS \$327.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 3. 6
Raymond E. Dismukes - Lot 17 in Indian Ridge Estates, Map Book 6, Page 44
DUES & COSTS \$452.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 3. 8
Douglas W. Crisman - Lot 15, 1st Sector, Indian Valley Lake Estates, Map Book 5, Page 130
DUES & COSTS \$327.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 4. 3
Rodney W. Smith - Lot 22, Willow Ridge Addition to Indian Springs Map Book 5, Page 76
DUES & COSTS \$317.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 4. 3
Truman A. Thomas III - Estate No. 4 Woodwood Park Residential Estates Map Book 5, Page 78
DUES & COSTS \$317.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 4. 18
James J. Lynch - Lot 12 Wildwood Park Residential Estates Map Book 5, Page 78
DUES & COSTS \$317.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 3. 9
Gordon Trammell - Estate 26, Woodwood Park Residential Estates Map Book 5, Page 78
DUES & COSTS \$205.00 Plus Adv.
\$ 3. 8
J. William Snider - A parcel of land situated in the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 29, Township 19 South, Range 2 West, in Shelby County, Alabama, particularly described as follows: Commence at the northeast corner of said quarter-quarter section and run thence southerly along the east line thereof for a distance of 219.16 feet to the point of beginning of the property herein described; thence turn 82° 50' right and run southerly to a point on the center line of a 60 foot wide road; thence turn 123° 08' 30" left and run southerly along said center line for a distance of 250.18 feet to the P.I. of a curve having a central angle of 29° 32'; thence turn 29° 32' right and run southerly along the subtangent of said curve for a distance of 68.51 feet to a point on said subtangent; thence turn 90° 38' left and

run northeasterly for a distance of 472.41 feet to a point on said east quarter-quarter section line; thence turn 78° 35' left and run northerly along said east quarter-quarter section line for a distance of 245.0 feet to the point of beginning.
DUES & COSTS \$387.50 Plus Adv.
\$ 3. 9
Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 1984 No. 629

LEGAL NOTICE
The estate of Eunice V. Hollaway Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21 day of Nov., 1984 by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher of Shelby County Reporter
Ezra George Hollaway
Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 1984 No. 628

LEGAL NOTICE
The Town of Vincent has records available in the Town Hall showing the receipts and expenditures of Revenue Sharing Funds. Office hours are from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 653

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
City of Helena will accept sealed bids for one (1) 250 G.P.M. pumping engine to be used in the Fire Department. Bids will be accepted until 10:00 A.M. January 4, 1985. Specifications may be obtained at Helena City Hall between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. Monday through Friday.
Dec. 13, 20, 1984 No. 652

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of Application to Revise Coal Mine Permit (Rev. 3)
In accordance with the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1969, its regulations and specifically Section 880-K-9K-05, notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed an application to revise permit P-3217-07-88S, Grayhill-Nunnally Mine, in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16, Township 21 South, Range 5 West, Shelby and Bibb Counties. This proposed revision would add four small sediment ponds in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 15, and NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 15. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences concerning this application should be filed with the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama, 35502-2390. The applicant, Allied Products Company, requests that copies of such comments or objections be sent to it at the address given above, and to Paragon Engineering, Inc., 3928 Montclair Road, Suite 230, Birmingham, Alabama 35213.
Dec. 13, 20, 27, 1984 No. 651

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
The City of Columbiana will have available for inspection, the 1984 Survey of Local Government Finances Census and Revenue Sharing documents, at city hall between the hours of 8 until 4 o'clock. Anyone interested in these should contact the city clerk, Mary Largin at 669-4153.
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 656

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
The City of Columbiana will have available for inspection, the 1984 Survey of Local Government Finances Census and Revenue Sharing documents, at city hall between the hours of 8 until 4 o'clock. Anyone interested in these should contact the city clerk, Mary Largin at 669-4153.
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 656

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The City Council of the City of Calera will hold a public hearing December 17th, 1984 at 6:30 p.m. at the Calera City Hall. The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments and statements concerning the proposed use of Revenue Sharing Funds.
George W. Roy, Mayor
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 648

LEGAL NOTICE
Estate of George Dawson Partridge Deceased. Letters of Administration

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of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
To Publisher of Shelby County Reporter
Martha Sue Howard Partridge
Administratrix of Estate of George Dawson Partridge, deceased
Dec. 13, 20, 27, 1984 No. 654

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC HEARING
You can voice your opinion on the subject of public transportation in Shelby County in a public hearing on Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1985 at 1 p.m. at the City-County Mental Health Center on Highway 25 W. in Calera. The Center is the implementing agency in the area for Section 18 Non-urbanized Public Transportation Program.
Plans to consolidate transportation services now offered by community service agencies will also be discussed at the meeting. Written comments will be welcomed from those unable to attend.
Please send these comments to: C-SMHC, P.O. Drawer 679, Calera, Ala. 35040.
For more information, call 668-3135.
Dec. 13, 1984 No. 645

LEGAL NOTICE
In accordance with Chapter 1, title 39, Code of Alabama, 1975, notice is hereby given that Turner Roofing Co., Inc. Contractor has completed the Contract for improvement of Reynolds Hall, Myrick Hall, at Montevallo University for the State of Alabama and the County-City of Montevallo, Owners, and have made request for final settlement of said contract. All persons having any claim for labor, materials or otherwise in connection with this project should immediately notify Renner, Tichansky and Associates, Inc. 2017 Morris Ave., Birmingham AL. 35203, Dec. 13, 20, 27, 1984, Jan. 3, 1985 No. 646

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Lottie Mae Dennis, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the entrance of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 16th day of January, 1985, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
Block 3, according to the Survey of Broken Bow as recorded in Map Book 7, Page 145 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, Chattel Items: Wall to wall carpeting.
Notice of this foreclosure sale is also given to the following parties, who have held title to said property and have assumed the obligations of the mortgage, in order that they might avail themselves of the opportunity to bid at said foreclosure sale:
Anthony F. Lasch and Cassie T. Lasch
This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
Stockton, Whatley, Davin & Company transferee
W.A. Jenkins, Jr.
227 Frank Nelson Building
Birmingham, AL 35203-3887
Attorney for transferee
Dec. 13, 20, 27, 1984 No. 647

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Shelby County People

Tolbert: steps out of place

by David F. Moore

Do you make it habit of stepping out of place? Are you a trouble maker?

"Yes, I guess. I never thought of it before." Sitting in his kitchen with a cup of coffee, Robert Tolbert, who turned 63 the day before Thanksgiving, pauses just long enough for his fast smile to break into its inevitable laugh.

"Well, well now, wait a minute! Wait a minute! Let me back up... I'm a trouble maker. But it depends on people's point of view."

"Okay now... Here's a fellow beating on a fellow, and you go by there and pull him off. To the fellow doing the beating, you're a trouble maker. To the fellow that's being beaten, you are... a Godsend."

"Now. Am I trouble maker?"

"Everybody is either a hammer or an anvil. Some people just sit there and things just bounce against them. Other people go and hammer something out, beat it into shape to make something out of it. I feel like I'm a hammer. I'm a black hammer, but I'm a hammer."

Stepping out of place, so to speak, apparently comes easy to Robert Tolbert.



ROBERT TOLBERT
...a "black hammer"

One of the first things he did when he got out of the Army was register to vote. Today, that might be taken for granted. In 1945, it was not. Not if you were black, and lived in Shelby County, Alabama, where blacks had never before registered to vote.

Tolbert, who retired from U.S. Steel in 1982 and lives on the hill behind Thompson Middle School, was born in Siluria and graduated from Shelby County Training School in 1941. A year later he was in the 92nd Infantry — the Army's only black combat group — and fighting in Italy. "There were a lot of times I could have been gone, so I'm thankful to God," he says.

As a staff sergeant at the end of the war, Tolbert says his duty was to teach fellow GI's about legal rights, such as voting, and Harry Truman's presidential decree that black veterans in the 13 Southern states were exempt from paying poll taxes. So when he got out of the service, Tolbert knew his rights.

"They were shocked in Columbiana when I registered to vote," he says lightly. "You should have seen them staring."

No black had ever before voted in Shelby County, Tolbert says, so he was both apprehensive and determined when he went to Saginaw in 1946 to slip his ballot in the slot. As it turned out, the only person to try and stop him was a black janitor.

"You can't go in there," he warned me. "They're voting!" "The negro, you see, had to stay in his place. If he stayed in his place, it was peaceful, and it was hard for him to step out of place."

"At one time, me and (a white man) couldn't have played checkers together. It was against the law. I could have watched, but if I played, they'd throw us both in jail. Rather, they'd throw me in jail. They'd have a serious talk with the white man."

But Tolbert says that when he walked in to vote that first time in 1946, he was met with more surprise than hatred. (He describes this bit of history as "incidental.")

"No one said a word. They were rather friendly."

"The whites in general were rather friendly. Only the hoodlums were not, and there were not too many of them in Shelby County."

The Alabaster man took a job at U.S. Steel in Fairfield that same year, working in the labor pool until 1959 when he was promoted to brick layer's helper. At that time it was a "class three" job, he says, but all other USS "helper" jobs paid "class 6."

Tolbert stepped out of place.

He says he suggested to a union boss that the union enter a

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Christmas pup

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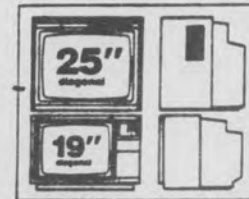
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Class leads way to help students find employment

by Bert Seaman

The bottom line of her program, says Jean Stratton, is helping her students find employment.

An instructor at the Shelby County Area Vocational Center, Stratton teaches the state's first program in service occupations education.

Her students come from special education classes at seven county high schools, and from the Center for Exceptional Children.

"Everything we do in the program is a learning experience," Stratton says. "If these kids can do the work after learning entry level job skills, why shouldn't employers hire them?"

Stratton says that in her classes, she does whatever it takes to help her students live as independently as possible.

The students have different contract services which include ironing and polishing silver for a jewelry store.

If a student earns money by ironing, they figure how much to charge, then take the money to the office and get a receipt. This helps them learn how to handle money and to establish communication skills, Stratton explains.

The money earned is recorded and deposited in a fund to buy cooking supplies and other items used by the class.

When an open house was held recently, money from the fund was used for refreshments.

One thing Stratton regrets is that she does not have enough time to make calls to find employment for her students.

She says it would be to the advantage of employers to hire these students, because the companies would qualify for tax credits which would make them eligible to get one third of the student's salary back at the end of the year.

At the present time, three of Stratton's students are employed at fast food restaurants. Another works at the workshop for the handicapped in Alabaster.

One of her biggest success stories, she says, is a girl who was very withdrawn when she started the program. But with the help of the class, Stratton says that the girl has become an active part of the program and that she has also branched out on her own.

On the weekends, Stratton says that the student earns \$50 doing ironing.

When students first enter the program at SCVCA, they study in at least six core areas: job readiness, food service industry, retail work, child care, custodian, domestic skills, and maintenance.

During their second year, students review these areas and are then placed on jobs whenever possible.

Another work experience Stratton says she hopes to obtain rotating lunchroom work for the students at their respective schools. "I'm trying to help the students get parttime jobs now," Stratton says, but notes that her goal is to prepare them for permanent employment so they won't sit at home after they leave school.

In order to do that, she would like to combine her efforts with those of the state rehabilitation program, the state employment service, vocational education, special education and the Alabaster Workshop program.

State Superintendent of Education Wayne Teague is thinking along the same lines. At a recent news conference he said that the vocational education division, the special education division, and the rehabilitation and crippled children services division will work together.

The purpose of their combined efforts, Teague says, will be to identify the needs of handicapped children and to prepare them for productive jobs after graduation.



Time poster

Geraldann McDaniel from Chelsea explains what students in Service Education Occupations have learned about time in their class at the Shelby County Area Vocational Center. Among the guests at a recent open house were Kmart employees, Ann Bailey, personnel manager and Cindy Bailey.

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From Western

Alabaster grocer retires ...once again



KEN HUBBARD CONGRATULATES BOB HARPER
...at second retirement

by Bert Seaman
Bob Harper retired from the grocery business when he was 64-years-old.

That was the first time.
Last Thursday — after another 14 years in the grocery business — the Alabaster man decided to make another try at retirement.

After his first attempt at taking it easy failed, Harper went to work for Western Supermarket in Alabaster.

"I just had to have something to do," he explains.

Harper has worked both ends of the store — first at the check-out counter sacking groceries — then in the back receiving merchandise.

"He's been a fixture here," said Western President Ken Hubbard when Harper retired two weeks ago.

The president of the chain said that Harper was one of the Alabaster store's most dependable and hard working employees.

Harper started in the grocery business in Maylene where he worked 13 years for a merchant.

He opened his first store in Pea Ridge.

"It was a credit store," Harper says. "I used to deliver groceries to customers' homes."

His customers were mostly miners, and when the Boothton mines shut down, Harper moved on. That was in 1950.

He next rented the Mill Rock Store on the Warrior River in Concord and ran it for a few years.

His next move was to Pleasant Grove where he stayed three years, after which he moved to Hueytown where he operated stores for 17 years.

Before moving to Alabaster, he worked in the grocery business in Bessemer for two and a half years.

"I thought I wanted to retire," Harper says, "but I just couldn't take it."

During the years he worked at Western, Harper says he would see customers that he had sold to 45 years ago. Such reunions always made his day, he says.

Harper and his wife Bertie are members of Hickory Hills Worship Center in Alabaster. Their family consists of two married daughters, Betty Peters and Mary Ann Hester; five grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

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by Barbara Roberts
Columbiana Librarian

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•Another choice might be "Chef Paul Prudhomme's Louisiana Kitchen" which includes Cajun recipes.

•Does someone on your list have a green thumb? Consider a gardening book like "Ortho's Complete Guide to Successful House Plants." It is a complete and clearly written guide with advice on selecting, caring for, and propagating the various species of house plants.

•The businessman on your list might enjoy "Iacocca: An Autobiography." Lee Iacocca, who became an American legend by bringing the Chrysler Corporation back from the brink of bankruptcy, tells the behind-the-scenes wheeling and dealing at two major auto corporations.

•Don't forget the history buffs on your list. They would probably enjoy "Lincoln" by Gore Vidal. This fictional work about Lincoln is solidly based on historical fact, and covers his years as President until his assassination.

While making your list and checking it twice don't forget to purchase books for children. Nearly every little girl on your list would love a book by Judy Blume or Beverly Cleary.

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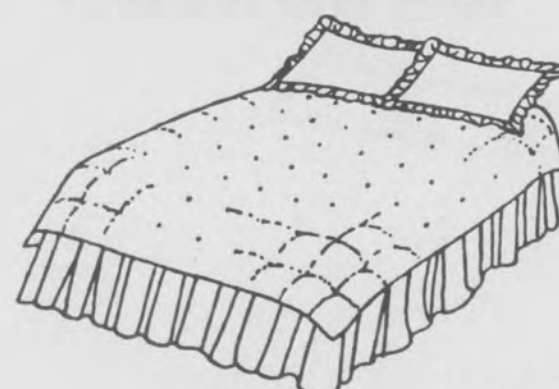
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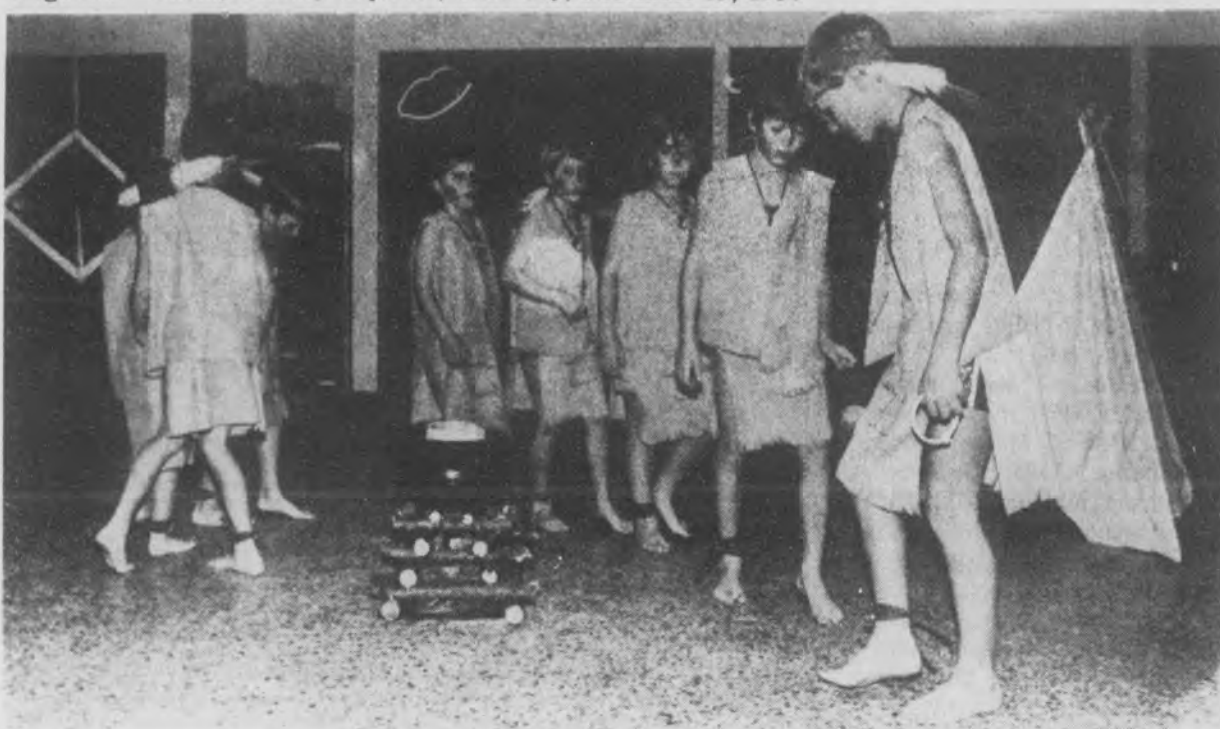
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•Seventh grade: Steven Jones, Thomas Jones, Laurie Long, Ryan Luster, Greg Maxwell, Tiffany Prater, Stephanie Young.

•Eighth grade: Bryan Brackin, Jerry Carter, Dana Daniel, Felicia Davenport, Ryan Livengood, Andrew Shelton, Mellisa Thompson.

A-B honor roll:

•Sixth grade: Shannon Alexander, Amy Allen, Kip Blankenship, Amelia Branyon, Jennifer Browning, Shea Click, Kristy Dennis, Trisha Dinwiddie;

James Flynn, Patsi Forlines, Jeff Harris, Bradley Hubbard, Susan Jackson, Berry Kennedy, Michelle Kent, Tina Langley, Christie Lee, Shay Luna, Donna Marks;

Aimee McConnell, Robert Mills, Narkisha Norris, Mary Onderdonk, Christopher Owens, Brandi Penhale, Kenneth Poe, Kim Posey, Deatrice Powell;

Heather Prescott, Derek Shroyer, Allison Sides, Tara Stanley, Julie Yessick.

•Seventh grade: Jennifer Bailey, Scott Bailey, Susan Barker, Andrew Beck, Travis Bently, Jacob Bishop, Tracy Carlisle, Angel Click; Katie Cochran, Michael Cornell, Dawn Demuth, Angeline Dorsett, David Flanagan, Wayne Forlines, Michael Friedman, Valerie Gray;

Shannon Harless, Teresa Harrison, John Higdon, Jr., Aisha Holmes, Matthew Horrell, George Jackson, IV, Lucinda Jones, Emily Lee;

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Kristi Stuart, Scott Vanness, Holly Walker, Jennifer Weldy, Beckie Wheeler, Jennifer Wheeler.

•Eighth grade: Laura Benton, Kelly Booth, Timothy Brewer, Kathy Brooks, Kelli Buchans, Christy Burnett, Kimberlee Bush, Sherry Coggins;

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\$350.50 — consisted of: JoAnna Grizzle, Sherry Everson, Beth Fulmer, Meredith Corroero, Mark Pace, Chris Joyner. Also pictured are PE teacher Melinda McCoy, coordinator of the event, and RMS principal Henry Clark.

Former county chief becomes 'hero'

by Bert Seaman

Former Shelby County fire chief Doug Sprouse doesn't think of himself as a hero. But a number of people would disagree.

Sprouse and a fellow firefighter risked their lives this summer as they worked at the scene of a spectacular wreck on a bridge connecting Maryland and Virginia.

Responding to all the media attention he received following the accident, Sprouse said that he didn't like being called a hero.

"I'm a firefighter," Sprouse said, "and I just did my job — that's all."

A former chief at the fire departments in Riverchase (until it was annexed by Hoover) and Helena, Sprouse is now a civilian firefighter for the Naval Surface Weapons Center in White Oak, MD.

North Shelby District Fire Chief Winston Boutwell, who knew Sprouse, said that he was a good man. Boutwell said he was not surprised by Sprouse's actions.

"If Doug was there when anything happened, he'd do everything he could," Boutwell said.

Sprouse was fire chief at Riverchase in 1978-79, then served as chief in Helena from 1980-82.

A native of Maryland, Sprouse left Helena in March of 1982 to go back to his native state so that he could be near his family.

Helena fire chief Garry Penhale said that Sprouse brought that fire department a long way before he left.

Besides working diligently to get his own men trained, Penhale said that Sprouse also worked actively to improve the fire service in the county and state.

At the time of the bridge accident, Sprouse and Inspector Robert D. Hobbs were delivering a brush truck from their station at White Oak, to another station.

A crash occurred on the Cabin John Bridge into Virginia, leaving the cab of a burning truck dangling over the bridge rail. A car was pinned between the truck and the bridge railing.

Sprouse radioed for help and he and Hobbs pumped the 500 gallons of water from their truck through one of the units that responded in an effort to put out the fire.

When the truck exploded, they helped the badly burned driver away from the wreck. He died the next day, and the body of his father — who was a passenger in the truck — was later found in the river.

Although burned, the driver of the car survived the crash.

The head of the security management branch for the Naval Surface Weapons Center, cited Sprouse and Hobbs for bravery, saying that they had conducted themselves in an exemplary fashion under conditions that were a severe risk to their lives.

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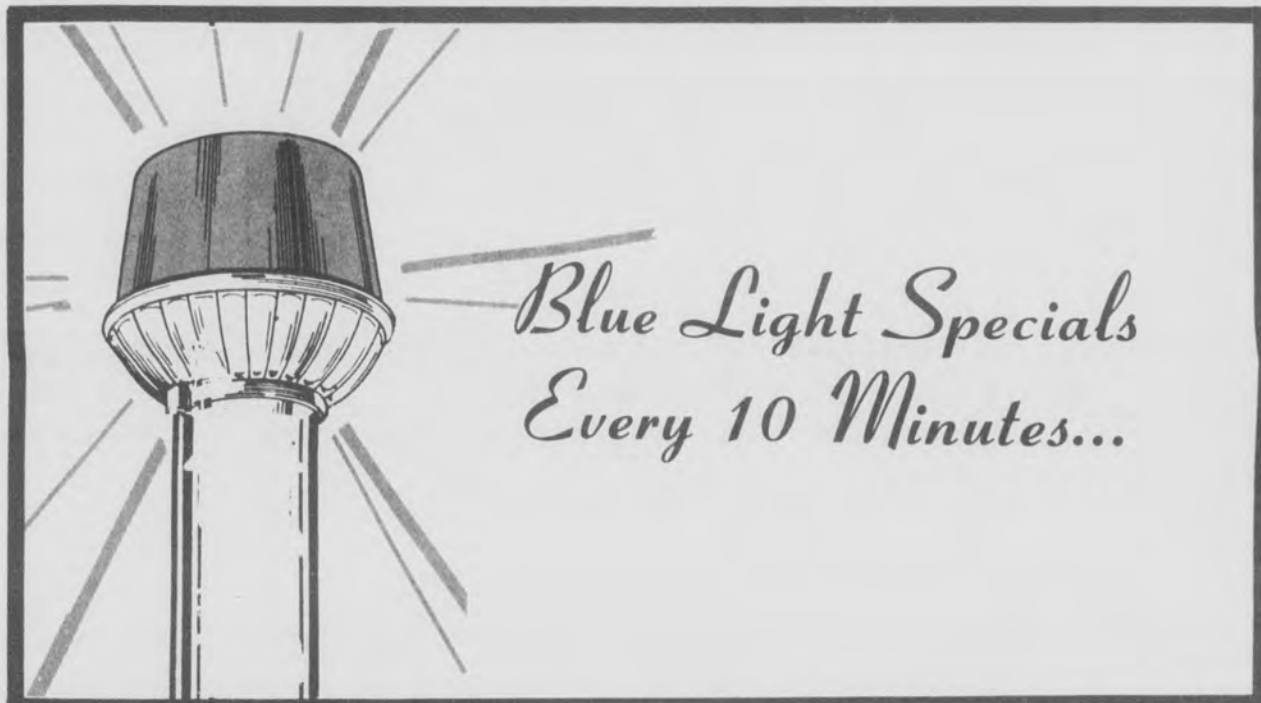


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Father, son study art at UM

by Larry Jenkins
special to the Reporter

It is unusual when a student attends college at the same time as his parent, and even more unusual when they have the same major. But University of Montevallo art majors John and Thomas Paisley are examples of the old saying "like father, like son."

John, a retired Navy commander, will graduate this week with a bachelor's degree. Thomas is in his first year at Montevallo. Although both father and son are studying art, their fields of specialization differ. John is concentrating in painting. Thomas is more interested in graphic design.

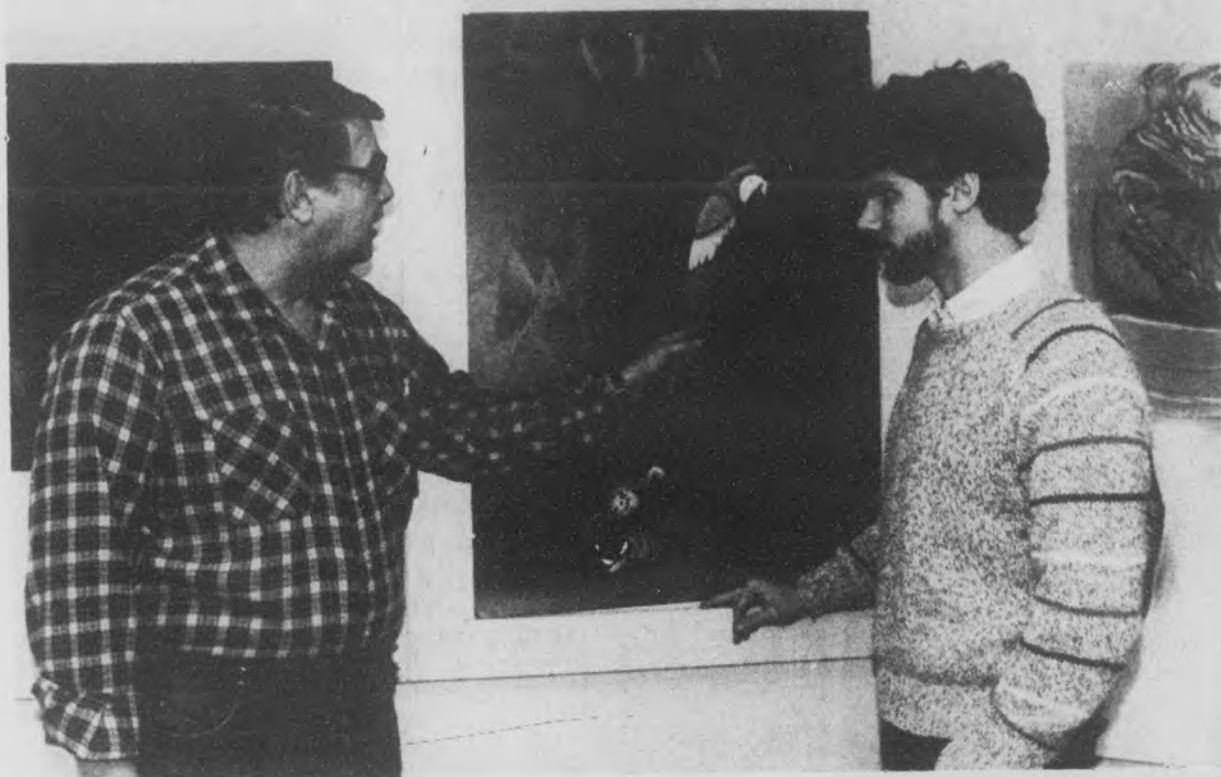
"I guess I'm a product of my times," said John of his attraction for realism, "although abstract work seems to be going out and realism making a comeback."

John became interested in art through photography while he was in the service. "The Navy was a good experience for me, although it kept me away from my family more than I wanted," he said.

After retiring, he opened a photographic services and framing shop in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Later, Paisley and his wife moved to Montevallo with their son Thomas and daughter Susan.

Thomas is also a man of many interests. Along with his graphic design, he is interested in technical theatre design. During high school, he was involved in acting and some technical design, and since that time has worked in that area through the Touring Ballet Co. of Canada.

Thomas is concentrating on building a portfolio and getting practical experience while at Montevallo. One such opportunity came with the chance to design a promotional poster for a recent



Like father, like son

John Paisley and his son, Thomas, both study art at the University of Montevallo. John graduates Dec. 14 with a BA in art. Thomas is a first year student in graphic design. Through Friday, John has an exhibition on display (above) in UM's The Gallery.

UM theatre production.

"I've learned more through this experience than I could have learned in a classroom," he said. "I haven't been disappointed (with UM's art department). The staff is excellent, and I've been challenged to learn and expand myself. If I were just starting out, I would probably go for graphics or go into teaching. Graphics is where the money is today."

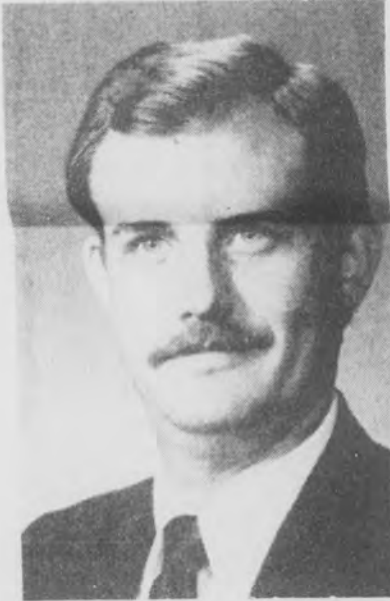
Regardless of his future commercial success, painting "is what I want to do. When I graduate, I want to do he things that I want to for a while, and if

the buying public doesn't like it, I'm sorry."

As a senior art major, John has an exhibition of his artwork — in a variety of mediums — on display in the Gallery in Bloch Hall through his graduation day, Friday, Dec. 14.

Thomas continues to work with graphic design and is currently working on another poster for the theatre department. The experience he came to college for is paying off.

"In my field, it doesn't matter what your degree says," he said. "It's your work that speaks for you."



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Briarwood's Steve Blake takes a charging foul in a recent game with Jemison. Get the information on that game as well as photos and information on all of the teams in Shelby County in the special basketball section in this week's full edition of the Shelby County Reporter. (photo by Hugh Wilson)

Tolbert

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suit against the steel company AND itself, for discriminatory pay scales. Although his name was not entered on the suit, the action was filed and, eventually, settlement was reached.

A judge ruled in 1965 that blacks should have the right to take craftsmen tests for brick layers, mill wrights and similar positions. Tolbert took the step, took the test, and became the first black brick layer at USS in Fairfield.

"I had always helped my kids with their lessons," he says. "I had an edge. I passed the test."

During this same period Tolbert owned a "cafe" which someone operated for him on the Old Montgomery Highway in Alabaster. One Saturday night the excitement got a little too rough, and the city council had the door padlocked.

"You can't do that! You're no judge!" I told the council. In good faith, I think they simply didn't know the laws," he says. Although he says he did not reopen the place, he took the opportunity to step out of line by throwing the lock in a nearby lake.

Tolbert says 1969 is memorable to him for the founding of the Alabaster Suburban League, and for the "Poor People's March" through Alabaster.

The march drew some 200-300 people, recalls Tolbert who helped lead the way. He says it resulted in at least some area jobs for poor people.

The Suburban League also met with some success, but not as much as Tolbert, who founded it, admits that he would like to have seen.

The purpose of the league, he says, was to provide a forum for speakers and politicians, to provide a place for gatherings where all members were on an equal level, and to help provide educational and recreational facilities for youth.

The Rev. Jimmy and Eloise Underwood, Hatti Stewart, Tolbert and his brother, Henry, Jr. worked together to build the league's meeting house.

Tolbert says the building's "library" contained encyclopedias (which he bought) and other books for students to use in their studies. But the library didn't pan out in the long run, and Tolbert says that the topic of student studies bothers him.

"Students who will not get their lessons, will not get their lessons if you provide another way. They suffer from apathy, and, in general, will not get their lessons unless they are motivated," says Tolbert who in 1959 was vice-chairman of the Shelby County PTA Council.

Despite the facility, he says the league lacked a way to motivate students. So, he guesses, in a sense, the unmotivated student is remaining in his place as opposed to stepping out of line.

The Suburban League, although not as visible as it has been in the past, will never die, he says.

"I'm not a radical in the sense of the word. It's a point of view," says Tolbert, a member of Liberty Baptist Church and the Alabaster Beautification Board. "I've always been interested in good government and the betterment of the common man."

"Somebody, sooner or later, has to speak up on issues that affect people's lives. Otherwise, we would become as heathens... not just this place, but any place."

"But you can't speak up without paying a price. I've only paid a small price. But I guess it's gotten some small results. They're there. I can see them."

How does Robert Tolbert think people view him, this man who has a habit of stepping out of place from time to time?

"I don't think the black community considers me a trouble maker. I don't think that the white community thinks I'm a trouble maker. I think that they think that I'm aware of what's going on."

And what does Robert Tolbert think about Robert Tolbert?

"Frankly speaking, I am happier than I have ever been in my life, because I have the love of my children and the respect of my children and the respect of all those that I care for."

Tolbert's three marriages have resulted in ten offspring:

Annetta Wallace who lives in Michigan, Sonya King of Pelham, Sandra Lee Wynn of Montevallo, June Carita Trenholm who lives in Alabaster and works with her Birmingham sister Gayle Tolbert at Shelby Medical Center, Sherre Tolbert of Pelham, Paula Tolbert who's stationed with the Air Force in Denver, Barbara Tolbert with the Navy in Cuba, Kim Ona Tolbert who plays in the Thompson High School band, and Robin Opal Tolbert who also attends THS.

"We're all the best of friends," Tolbert beams.

"It's not so much the things that I do as it is the things that I think, the things that I feel. I guess that's what important."

"Everything material that a man has, he'll leave here when he goes. If he has integrity, maybe he'll pass it on to someone else. Maybe they'll see it and it will live on."

"There's goodness in everybody, but it needs nurturing," Tolbert says. "They need to be aware of the goodness in them, otherwise they become weak."

And, Robert Tolbert would add with a laugh, from time to time, a person just may need to step out of place.

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by K.A. Turner

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We at the Reporter are pleased to bring you this special section which features the basketball teams in Shelby County. We hope it gives fans throughout the area a chance to see their favorites, to know the players by name, and to know when to show up at their favorite gymnasium.

The Reporter will meet you there, as this special begins our extensive coverage of basketball in Shelby County.

That coverage will include a weekly round-up of county-wide action, special features on tournaments and rivalries, and expanded information on county and area (and STATE!) tournaments.

County roundball in 1984 features exciting personalities, talented players, and fast-paced action. Don't miss it... on the court or in the Reporter.

P.S. This special and the basketball coverage to this point in the season would have been much more difficult without the photographic skills of freelance photographer Hugh Wilson. He and I both hope you enjoy the basketball special.

Calera Eagles

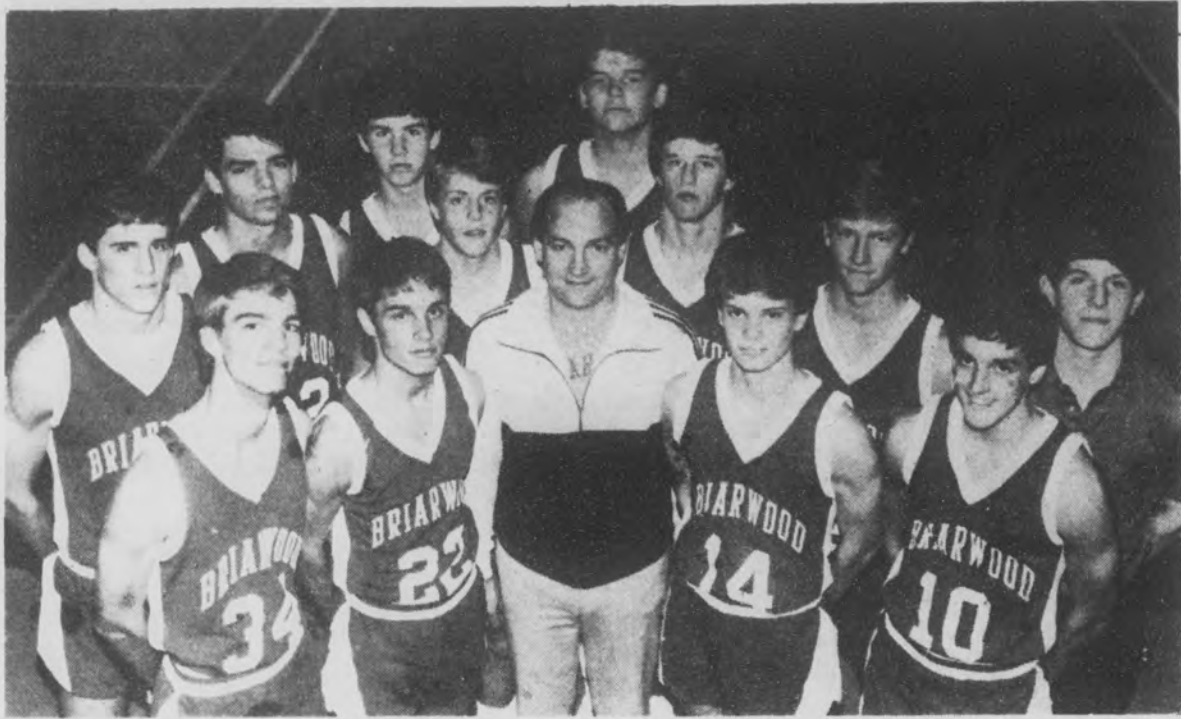


Roster

10	Derek Herndon
12	Chris Smith
14	Mark Jones
22	Kenny Marsh
24	Willie Taylor
30	Byron White
34	Darryl Griffith
40	Kenneth Wilson
42	Keith Dowdell
Coach	Gary Griffith

Schedule

12/14	West Blocton	H
12/18	St. Clair	A
12/21	Montevallo	A
1/2-5	Vincent Tourney	
1/8	Chelsea	H
1/12	St. Clair	H
1/15	Indian Springs	H
1/18	Montevallo	H
1/21-25	County Tourney	
1/29	Brighton	A
2/1	Briarwood	A
2/8	Thorsby	A
2/9	Thompson	H
2/12	Jemison	H
2/14-16	Area Tourney	



Briarwood Lions

Schedule

1/4	Oak Grove	H
1/8	Indian Springs	H
1/11	Moody	A
1/12	Shelby County	A
1/15	Montevallo	A
1/18	Chelsea	A
1/21-25	County Tourney	
1/29	West Blocton	A
2/1	Calera	H
2/2	Shelby County	H
2/5	Jemison	A
2/8	Chelsea	H
2/12	Hayden	A
2/14-16	Area Tourney	

Roster

10	Victor Nichols
12	Conrad Carpenter
14	Barry Billings
22	Craig Collier
30	Al Saunders
32	Milton Seabolt
34	Steve Blake
40	David Chapman
42	Casey Campbell
44	Bob Farris
52	Phil Rooks
Coach	Steve Franklin



Chelsea Hornets

Schedule

12/14	Moody	H
12/18	Vincent	A
12/21	St. Clair	H
1/2-4	Vincent Tourney	
1/8	Calera	A
1/11	Brighton	H
1/12	Altamont	A
1/15	Vincent	H
1/18	Briarwood	H
1/21-25	County Tourney	
1/29	Indian Springs	H
2/1	St. Clair	A
2/5	Altamont	H
2/8	Briarwood	H
2/12	Shelby County	H
2/14-16	Area Tourney	

Roster

10	Steve Shelton
12	Mike Fant
15	Scott Vinsant
32	Matt Russell
33	David Lehner
34	Mort Moody
35	Stephen Guthrie
44	Eric Pittman
52	Keith Welch



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Coosa Valley Rebs

Schedule			Roster	
12/17	Edgewood	A	3	Ricky Sprouse
12/18	Minor	A	10	Jeff Martin
1/4	Lee Scott	A	11	Brett Stricklin
1/8	Cathedral	H	20	John Beavers
1/10	Edgewood	H	22	Shawn Baker
1/11	Berney Pts.	H	24	Tuggie Harmon
1/15	Shelby	H	25	Scott Thompson
1/18	Cahawba	H	30	Toby Greene
1/22	Bess. Faith	H	32	Chuck Goodwin
1/25	Minor	H	34	Brian Tuck
2/4-8	District Tourney		45	Neil Rasmussen
1/28	Cathedral	A	55	David Grogan
1/31	Lee Scott	H		Cv Coach Bruce Breland
2/1	Bess. Faith	A		
2/4-8	District Tourney			

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MHS Bulldogs

Schedule			Roster	
12/14	Thompson	H	10	Danny Holmes
12/18	West Blocton	A	12	Andy Chism
12/21	Calera	H	14	Tommy Morris
1/4	Bibb Co.	H	20	Tommy Bivins
1/8	West Blocton	H	22	Slade Blackwell
1/11	Calera	A	24	Kevin Lacey
1/15	Briarwood	H	30	Cedric Nix
1/18	Oak Grove	H	32	Willie Richardson
1/21-25	County Tourney		34	Ray Rutledge
1/29	Bibb Co.	A	40	Floyd Richardson
2/1	Thompson	A		Coach Bobby Pierson
2/5	Vincent	A		
2/8	Shelby County	H		
2/11-15	Area Tourney			



Schedule

12/14	Bell	H	
12/21-22	S'ville Tourney		10
1/8	Briarwood	A	12
1/11	U.School,N'ville	H	15
1/15	Calera	A	20
1/18	Altamont	H	21
1/22	St.Clair	A	22
1/24	Randolph	A	25
1/26	U.School,N'ville	A	30
1/29	Chelsea	A	32
2/1	Madison	H	35
2/6	Moody	H	45
2/8	Randolph	H	

ISS

Roster

Tony Tropiano
Peter Casale
Lawrence Garcia
Craig Smith
Randy Mason
Evan Goldberg
Sanjay Khare
David Garcia
Scott Pulliam
John Bodner
Keith Lusco
Coach Greg Van Horn

Indian Springs



Pelham Panthers

Schedule

12/15	Hueytown	H	12
12/21	Thompson	H	15
12/27-29	Berry Tourney		21
1/8	Leeds	H	23
1/11	McAdory	A	24
1/12	Vestavia	A	25
1/15	Childersburg	A	32
1/18	Homewood	A	33
1/21-25	County Tourney		34
1/29	Berry	A	41
2/1	Hueytown	A	42
2/5	Vestavia	H	
2/8	Mountain Brook	H	
2/12	Childersburg	H	
2/14-16	Area Tourney		

Roster

John North
Butch Hudson
Tyrone Wade
Lee Snyder
Sam Nelms
Riley Powell
Ken Lewis
Hal Youngblood
Rick Wikerson
Kile Turner
Doug Patton
Coach Tony Taylor





Shelby Raiders

Schedule

12/14	Southern	H	10
12/19	Bessemer	A	15
12/21	Edgewood	H	20
1/4	Autauga	A	22
1/8	Berney Points	H	25
1/11	Cahawba	A	30
1/15	Coosa Valley	H	33
1/18	Minor	A	35
1/22	Edgewood	A	40
1/25	Cahawba	H	44
1/26	Bessemer	H	
1/29	Berney Points	A	
2/1	Autauga	H	
2/4-8	District Tourney		

Roster

Matt Jackson
Doug Thomas
Kelly Tibbals
Mike Upton
Brett Arnold
Robert Thomas
Vince Pickett
Allen Latimer
Gordon Dawson
Dennis Attaway
Coach Dewayne Kervin

SA

Schedule

12/14	Dallas County	A	
12/15	Curry	H	
12/18	Jemison	A	
1/3-5	F'ville Tourney		
1/8	Abrams	H	10
1/10	West Blocton	H	12
1/11	Dallas County	H	20
1/12	Briarwood	H	22
1/18	West Blocton	A	24
1/19	Thompson	A	30
1/21-25	County Tourney		32
1/29	Jemison	H	34
2/2	Briarwood	A	42
2/12	Chelsea	A	50
2/14-15	Area Tourney	Coach	



Roster

Billy Joe Walker
Kenneth Jones
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THS Warriors

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12/14	Montevallo	A	10
12/18	McAdory	H	12
12/21	Pelham	A	14
1/8	Childersburg	H	20
1/11	Homewood	H	22
1/12	Banks	H	24
1/17	McAdory	A	30
1/19	Shelby Co.	A	32
1/21-25	County Tourney		34
1/29	Vincent	H	40
2/1	Montevallo	H	42
2/5	Childersburg	A	44
2/8	Bibb Co.	A	
2/9	Calera	A	
2/11	Calera	A	
2/14-16	Area Tourney		

Roster

Tony Hale
Terry Sumerlin
Anthony O'Neal
Todd Harris
Tracy Threatt
Chris Thomas
Robert Shields
Demetrius Gaiters
Elliott Bivins
Dana Washington
Jerome Taylor
Richard Kidd
Thomas Johnson



Schedule

12/14	Childersburg	H	
12/18	Chelsea	H	
12/21	Randolph Co.	H	
1/2-5	Smith Tourney		11
1/8	B.B.Comer	H	13
1/11	Lineville	TBA	15
1/12	Gilmore-Bell	A	21
1/15	Chelsea	A	23
1/18	Randolph Co.	A	25
1/21-25	Co. Tourney		31
1/29	Thompson	H	35
2/1	Banks	A	41
2/5	Montevallo	H	45
2/8	Banks	H	
2/12	Lincoln	A	
2/14-16	Area Tourney		



Roster

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Elbert Youngblood
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1/8	Indian Springs	H	11
1/11	Moody	A	13
1/12	Shelby County	A	15
1/14-17	County Tourney		20
1/18	Chelsea	A	21
1/22	Altamont	A	23
1/24	Calera	A	24
1/25	Shelby County	H	25
1/28-31	Area Tourney		33

Roster

10	Beth Schreiner
11	Amy Satterwhite
13	Debbie Clemens
15	Dena Guy
20	Bethany Brasher
21	Stephanie Johnson
23	Kim Weatherford
24	Vonnie Hitchcock
25	Elizabeth Meredith
33	Kathy Thweatt
34	Melissa Vines
44	Valerie Ysambert
Coach	Susan Whatley



Schedule

12/21	Montevallo	A
1/8	Chelsea	H
1/11	Montevallo	H
1/14-17	County Tourney	
1/24	Briarwood	H
1/28-31	Area Tourney	

Roster

Wanda Thornton
Amelia Edwards
Angela Johnson
Marilon Johnson
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Schedule

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12/18	Vincent	A	12
12/21	St. Clair	H	21
1/8	Calera	A	25
1/11	Brighton	H	32
1/12	Altamont	A	50
1/14-17	County Tourney		51
1/18	Briarwood	H	52
1/28-2-1	Area Tourney		54
1/29	Indian Springs	H	55
2/1	St. Clair	A	

Roster

Shel-lee Burdett	10
Suzanne Roberts	12
Carisse Bradbury	21
Stephanie Grubbs	25
Sandy Brasher	32
Patricia Burchfield	50
Stacy Salser	51
Paula Merrifield	52
Deborah Shirley	54
Leslie Weston	55
Coach Richard Conkle	



CV

Roster

10	Billie Wilson
12	Cristi Green
14	Melisa Goodwin
15	Cindy Rayfield
20	Tammy Gill
22	Sylaina Nappier
24	Stacy Cox
25	Traci Rowe
30	Stacey Kitchens
32	Lisa Baker
34	Kelly Miller
35	Wendy Bright
Coach	W.C. Wilson

Schedule

12/17	Edgewood	A
1/4	Lee Scott	A
1/8	Cathedral	H
1/10	Edgewood	H
1/11	Berney Pts.	H
1/15	Shelby	H
1/18	Cahawba	H
1/22	Bess. Faith	H
2/4-8	District Tourney	

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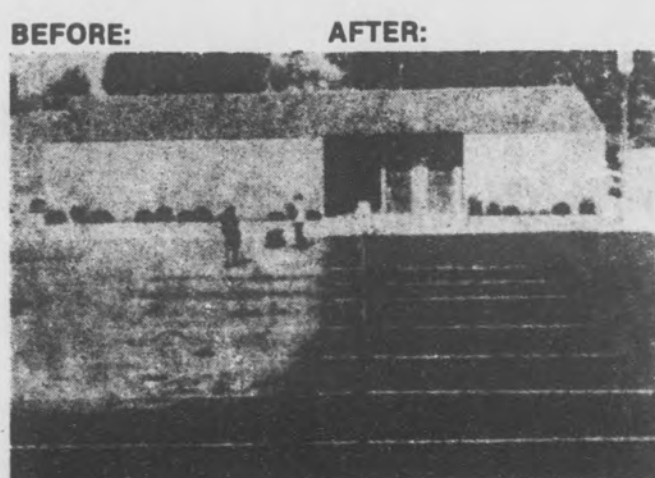
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Schedule

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1/11	U.School, N'ville	H
1/15	Calera	A
1/18	Altamont	H
1/22	St. Clair	A
1/25	Vincent	A
1/29	Chelsea	A

Roster

5	Alison Goldstein
11	Monica Lewis
12	Elizabeth Graddick
13	Cauley Kelley
15	Kathy Woods
21	Elizabeth Lockard
23	Stephanie Norris
43	Ashley Williams
Coach	Ray Woodard

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Schedule

12/13	Briarwood	A
12/18	West Blocton	A
12/21	Calera	H
1/8	West Blocton	H
1/11	Calera	A
1/14-17	County Tourney	
1/24	Pelham	H
1/28	Area Tourney	

Roster

10	Meg Perkins
11	Gina Lucas
12	Letrice Gaddis
13	Carol Paschel
22	Lisa DeVinner
30	Lorene Gentry
32	Lee Test
34	Becca Blake
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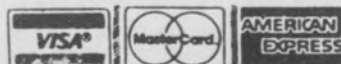
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Schedule

12/14	Dallas Co.	A
1/11	Dallas Co.	H
1/12	Briarwood	H
1/14-17	Co. Tourney	
1/17	Jemison	A
1/25	Briarwood	A

Roster

10	Anita Bryant
12	Loretta Woods
14	Rebecca Burns
20	Stacy Garrison
24	Freda Buie
30	Glenda Buie
34	Stacey Forsyth
40	Susan Pearson
42	Dedria Templin
Coach	James Lawshee



Roster

10	Terrie Harris
12	Kathleen Hunter
14	Lori Glasgow
20	Allison Bivins
22	Becky Wallace
24	Lisa McDaniel
30	Susan Parvin
34	Wendy Skinner
42	Valarie Caldwell
mgr.	Mary Lynn Sanders
mgr.	Amy McNeal
stats	Debbie Petree
stats	Angela Eads
Coach	Barry Jones



Schedule

12/14	John Carroll	A
12/18	McAdory	H
1/7	Gardendale	A
1/10	John Carroll	H
1/11	Homewood	H
1/14-17	County Tourney	
1/22	Vestavia	H
1/24	Jemison	H
1/23-29	Area Tourney	

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Indian Springs

Schedule

1/8 Briarwood A
1/11 U.School, N'ville H
1/15 Calera A
1/18 Altamont H
1/22 St. Clair A
1/25 Vincent A
1/29 Chelsea A

Roster

5 Alison Goldstein
11 Monica Lewis
12 Elizabeth Graddick
13 Cauley Kelley
15 Kathy Woods
21 Elizabeth Lockard
23 Stephanie Norris
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Schedule

12/13 Briarwood A
12/18 West Blocton A
12/21 Calera H
1/8 West Blocton H
1/11 Calera A
1/14-17 County Tourney
1/24 Pelham H
1/28 Area Tourney

Roster

10 Meg Perkins
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1/14-17	Co. Tourney	
1/17	Jemison	A
1/25	Briarwood	A

Roster

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14	Rebecca Burns
20	Stacy Garrison
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Schedule

12/14	John Carroll	A
12/18	McAdory	H
1/7	Gardendale	A
1/10	John Carroll	H
1/11	Homewood	H
1/14-17	County Tourney	
1/22	Vestavia	H
1/24	Jemison	H
1/23-29	Area Tourney	

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SA			Roster	
Schedule			3	Amy Snow
			4	Beth Maxwell
12/14	Southern	H	5	Katrina Gentry
12/19	Southern	H	10	Karen Weis
12/19	Bessemer	A	11	Robin Manuel
12/21	Edgewood	H	12	Jessica Eisenberg
1/4	Autauga	A	14	Kim Snow
1/8	Berney Points	H	15	Kelli Reid
1/11	Cahawba	A	15	Beverly Winslett
1/15	Coosa Valley	A	20	Jerri Hardwick
1/22	Edgewood	A	22	Kim Childers
1/25	Cahawba	H	24	Cheryl Kirby
1/26	Bessemer	H	30	Paula Mims
1/29	Berney Points	A	32	
2/1	Autauga	H		
2/4-8	District Tourney		Coach	Shirlee Daviston

Lady Raiders



Lady Panthers

Schedule			Roster	
12/13	Sylacauga	H	10	Vivian Smith
12/17	Clanton	H	11	Tracy Williams
12/20	Jemison	A	12	Gina Cole
1/11	McAdory	A	14	Julie McAlevy
1/12	Vestavia	A	15	Denise Heisler
1/15-17	County Tourney		21	Marietta Glover
1/18	Homewood	A	22	Darla Cowart
1/29-2-1	Area Tourney		24	Melody Dunaway
			25	Paula Glover
			31	Angela Diffly
			32	Renee Portis
			34	Keesha McAtee
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schools accredited

by Bert Seaman

Four Shelby County schools received an early Christmas present from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

At its annual meeting in Atlanta last week, the Southern Association accredited Calera and Pelham High Schools, and Riverchase and Vincent Middle Schools.

The accreditation of Pelham and Calera means that all seven high schools in the county are now accredited by both the Alabama State Department of Education and the Southern Association.

The two newly accredited middle schools bring the number of middle and elementary schools accredited by State and Southern Association to nine.

Five of the remaining elementary and middle schools are presently conducting self-studies and expect to host visiting accreditation committees in the spring.

Certificates of accreditation were presented by the Southern Association at a Tuesday morning breakfast in Atlanta to principals Danny Goggins, Calera; Dr. Edwin Belue, Pelham; Henry Clark, Riverchase; Stanford Elliott, Vincent. Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox ac-

See SCHOOLS, Page A-2



A child is born.....

The birth of a baby is a simple thing. Yet one birth is remembered and reenacted year after year in a time of celebration we call Christmas. Last weekend, Alabaster area children (left to right), Cliff Dyson, Mark Rikard, Shannon Dyson, James Michael Lee, and Matthew McCray gathered at the Elliottville Cumberland Presbyterian Church and took time to remember

for themselves the manger scene that is central to Christmas. In remembering, they help to remind us of that historic birth that took place 2,000 years ago in Bethlehem. The Reporter is proud to once again present its Christmas issue which contains letters to Santa Claus and stories related to the Christmas season. (Photo by K.A. Turner)

Someone's coming

by John Van Valkenburg
Executive Director of Development
University of Montevallo

"The wrong shall fail
the right prevail
with peace on earth
goodwill to men."
Longfellow

The message at this time of year is "someone is coming." Ask any child and each one will tell or relate who that special person is. But, remember, the great events and expectations of youth are always elevated by adults who seem to know more about the mystery behind the events than the child.

As I recall, it was the grown-ups who made Easter, birthdays and family gatherings special times to remember. Christmas was the highlight of all events; it was a family time. There was not only great expectations, but there was fun in the preparation. There was the cutting or buying of trees, the decorating, an early prepared list of wants, a stocking to be hung, cookies and milk on Christmas eve for the expected visitor. All of this enthusiastically talked about by adults, who seemed to know a lot more about Jolly Old St. Nicholas than the children.

In reflection, one regretted being told by an older brother, sister or friend that this was all make believe. I remember my brother telling me that Santa was a symbol, like "Uncle Sam," "Yogi Bear" and the "Easter Bunny." I remember thinking, "Isn't anything real? What can you count on?" The real letdown was Christmases after. They were made up of gifts of socks, underwear and shirts instead of all of those fun things. I knew I had lost a special friend in my image of Santa that could not be replaced.

There is a time for the young adult to begin to break new ground in his transition from the spirit of Santa at Christmastime to the Holy Spirit of the Christ Child. No one passes through this period the same way. The wonderful news is that it is so individual and uniquely ours that we can share it with others as a special personal discovery. The maturing goes on year after year as God unfolds new understandings. The great gift-receiving event of Christmas becomes the great sharing event, with new beginnings, a new found spirit and a new understanding of life, peace, strength and hope.

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News briefs

Letters to Santa inside

The staff of the Shelby County Reporter now has some idea of just how much work Santa has to cope with.

We said we'd run his letters - just to help out with the Christmas mail rush - and we've been swamped. In fact, we had to increase the number of pages in both the A and X-tra Sections to get all the letters in, and advertisers like Joy Supermarket helped out by agreeing to move their ad from their regular space.

More than 200 letters to Santa appear in this week's A and X-tra Sections for your reading enjoyment. Here's one example:

Dear Santa,

Sorry of having to bother you at this time of year. But I couldn't find an adress to write you with.

This Christmas I want a piano and a cassette player.

The piano to play on and a cassette player to tape me playing a piano and there is two (2) more things!

To bring those who don't believe in God to realize how Jesus suffered for them.

To help people over in Africa and other countries to enjoy their holidays and not to suffer over them.

Well I better close this letter.

Beth Merchant



Early deadlines set

Shelby County Reporter will observe an early printing schedule for the December 27 edition because Christmas falls on Tuesday, our normal printing day.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles for the Dec. 27 X-tra Section is 5 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 19.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles, including social news and classified ads for the A-Section (main news section) is 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 20.

Our office will be closed Dec. 24 and 25, and will reopen at 8 a.m. on Dec. 26.

We ask that our advertisers and readers cooperate with this holiday schedule.

Weather

The National Weather Service says more warm weather for the weekend. High's through Saturday will be near 70 and lows in the 50's.

Cooler air is moving into the northern part of the state this weekend, but is not expected to bring about any major changes in temperature.

\$650,000 available for 119

by Bert Seaman

Next year promises better driving conditions for residents who live in the Cahaba Valley area.

Jim Braden, district engineer for the state highway department, says that \$650,000 has been made available from the state highway department to improve State 119 North.

The announcement of the funding was made at Monday's county commission meeting by Sen. Frank "Butch" Ellis.

At an October meeting of concerned Cahaba Valley residents arranged by spokesperson Sandy Lester with the help of Rep. John Tanner, Tanner and Ellis promised to do what they could to get the road improved.

Local delegation favors co-employee bill

by David F. Moore

As Gov. George Wallace opened a special session of the legislature Monday night to decide on a new co-employee lawsuit bill, Shelby County's three-man delegation indicated that they generally favor the proposal.

Another co-employee bill was

killed earlier this year in the senate.

"I have no trouble with the concept of the bill," Rep. Sonny Moore said Monday night from Montgomery. He said he wanted to find out, however, what the proposed increase in benefits would cost small businesses.

"After all the adverse publicity

Commissioner John Ames, was also present at that meeting, said that the group had been told then there would not be any funds available for the next three years.

Ames credited the lobbying efforts of the county's legislative delegation - Ellis, Tanner and Rep. Sonny Moore - for the funds coming through.

Presently, state highway department engineers are obtaining detailed information on what needs to be done along the road.

Braden said he expects the work to begin around March. Since a detailed estimate of the work is not available yet, he said he does not

See CAHABA VALLEY, Page A-2

Needy to get nice Christmas

Christmas does not always come to the poor, the needy. But because of donations from people across Shelby County, more than 1,200 needy children will get a visit this year from the Jolly Ol' Elf.

From the Women of Inverness, to the employees of Kmart, to children of Good Hope Baptist Church, Christmas donations of toys and money have poured into the Shelby County Department of Pensions and Security, which lists needy families and sees to it that Christmas is delivered.

"We're surprised at the trouble Birmingham is having with donations," said county DPS director Susan Treadwell. "We're having one of our richest years."

Alabama Public Service Commission Lt. Larry Lumpkin said that the Shelby County FOP Toys for Tots drive will give Christmas to more 700 children. The Feast at the Master's Table is expected to serve a meal to some 1,000 needy people.

Anyone wishing to donate new toys to Toys for Tots, can contact their local Shelby County police department.

I want to be with my babies'

by David F. Moore

A floor is caved in. Hot water has to be "cooked" for bathing. There is little money for food and clothes.

But a Calera woman's Christmas wish, not to have two children taken away from her, came true this week. The wish, however, may be only temporary if she is not able to improve their living conditions.

"For Christmas, I want to be with my babies," Lyda Norris cried early Monday morning, prior to a scheduled 8:30 a.m. court hearing on her case. "I'd scrub floors, change anything to get to be with my babies."

Because of a death in the family of the attorney appointed to represent the two children, the case before District Judge Patti Smith was continued to January 8.

The case is being handled by the Department of Pensions and Security. Shelby County DPS director Susan Treadwell said the law prevents her from commenting on the case, but added that the agency's overall policy is not to split

up families except as a last resort.

Norris, unemployed, confessed that poor living conditions are at least part of the reason that she stands to lose her 14-year-old son, Spanky Edge, and an unofficially adopted three-year old, Michael Wayne Franklin Edge. (A "letter to the editor" written two weeks ago by Spanky is included on Page A-4.)

With her sister, she shares a five-room rental house near Austin's Auto Parts in Calera. The house, she said, is rented for \$125 from the Crawford family on an "as is" basis, so nothing was done when one of the two rooms she shares with the two boys "caved in" and forced them into one room.

Since moving to Calera five months ago, she said she has tried repeatedly to get a job, but with no success. She pays the rent out of the monthly \$150 child support check she gets for Spanky.

She said a social worker insisted on visiting the house last Monday, after she and the boys had spent the weekend in

See NORRIS, Page A-2



School accredited

Calera High School Principal Danny Goggins and student leaders display the certificate of accreditation the school recently received from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Admiring the certificate are: Kay Williams, Student Council president; Stacy Harding, president of the National Honor Society; Roger Sheffield, Junior Civitan Club president. (photo by Bert Seaman)

Schools

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compared the principals for the presentation. The purpose of Southern accreditation is to improve the school program through self-

study and evaluations by outside committees of educators. The process of school improvement is reviewed regularly at the fifth and tenth years.

Norris

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Birmingham with the funeral of Sammy Carrol, a family relation who apparently hanged himself in the Tarrant City jail.

"I spend \$14 on washing his clothes," Norris said of Spanky. "He's my pride and joy. I love him."

She said she feels the same way about Michael, although she doesn't know who his parents are, or when he was born. Norris said her first husband left him with her two years ago Easter, saying he'd return for Michael in a week.

"We had birthday party October 23 for Michael," Norris said. "He didn't get but two little gifts, but he got a lot of love."

A social worker criticized her for not getting Michael a coat, she said, although she's been looking "every day down at Ray's junk place."

"I think they need to be with me. I need to be with them," she said. "I'm so afraid they're going to take my babies away. I don't deserve that kind of hurt."

Message

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The Christmas season rapidly becomes new experiences of relationships, bringing people's lives in tune with harmony and love, open to all who would receive it. A higher plane of life develops that reflects forgiveness and sharing and, more importantly, a continuing spiritual growth that permits hearing the old Christmas Bible stories with new understanding.

In Matthew 1:21-23 we read: "And she (Mary) shall bring forth a son, and thou shall call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins."

"Now all of this was done, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying:

"Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us."

Christmas for the adult is a time for renewal, new beginnings and revival of the heart. We can rejoice that a Savior was born, rejoice with Joseph and Mary and their blessing, rejoice with the shepherds and the three wise men as they come to the manger, and especially rejoice that now there is a living star in the lives of each one of us that can still be our guide.

At Christmas, we can see the burdens of others differently in small ways as we open doors for people, wait in traffic, wish each other well and give gifts of special value and meaning. For those who want to share in the celebration, it brings out the best of mankind. One need not go further than the back fence or the city street to find the fertile fields of God's work. Look around you at people passing, waiting and walking. See their faces anew, take the opportunity to turn despair in-

For 'crackerbox' lunchroom Helena project gets \$225,000

by Bert Seaman

With a crackerbox lunchroom and 400 students to feed, Helena Elementary School faces a difficult situation daily.

But the money to solve that problem and to provide for the needs on other school campuses came with the passage of the three mill school tax.

Now taxpayers will save \$225,000 on the Helena project thanks to the efforts of Mayor Sonny Penhale and others.

After keeping in contact with the governor's office for the past two years to check on the availability of funds, Penhale was notified last month that money was available.

The mayor, who is a school trustee, along with PTO president Susan Bagley and board of education member Joe Coggins traveled to Montgomery Nov. 7 to finalize the \$225,000 transaction.

Coggins said that the money has been put in the board's capital outlay budget.

The Helena project, which will cost an estimated \$1 million, will consist of a multi-purpose building housing the lunchroom, an indoor play area and classrooms.

If everything goes according to schedule, Coggins said that construction will begin around May or June.

The Montgomery architectural firm of Chambliss-Killingsworth was awarded the contract to draw up plans for the new structure.

Because of its size, the present Helena school lunchroom presents problems of feeding a growing student population which now stands at 404.

Only 60-70 students can be fed at one time now, which extends the lunch period from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

When the new construction is completed, the present lunchroom will be converted into a teachers' lounge and restrooms, a storage area for textbooks and possibly a special education classroom.

Coggins also mentioned Sen. Frank C. "Butch" Ellis as another person who assisted the school in securing the funding.

Although Helena was the recipient of funding on this occasion, Superintendent of Education Ellie Glasscox hastened to say the board continuously works through the governor's office to get funding for campuses throughout the county.

And Glasscox said that the county's legislators - Ellis, John Tanner and Sonny Moore - have worked hard on trying to get funding for projects throughout the school system.

Those efforts paid off for another county school earlier this year.

An appropriation of \$35,000 was given to Shelby County High School to air condition the auditorium.

The governor had agreed to

make an appropriation for the air conditioning after speaking in the SCHS auditorium on a particularly hot day.

Although those funds were not made available right away, the board did not let the governor forget his promise.

Cahaba Valley

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know what the total cost of the project will be.

"We'll do as much as we can with the money available," Braden said.

Plans call for the road to be resurfaced, and portions of the road not already widened to be extended to 24 feet.

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and they were sore afraid.*

*And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for,
behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which
shall be to all people.*

*For unto you is born this day in the city of David a
Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.*

*And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the
babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.*

*And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude
of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,*

*Glorify to God in the highest, and on earth peace,
good will toward men.*

*And it came to pass, as the angels were gone from
them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another,
Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing
which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made
known unto us.*

*And they came with haste, and found Mary, and
Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.*

Luke 2: 8-16

Readers' opinions

Christmas is ... heated house, hearts filled with warmth

Letter to the editor:

There is much terror and tragedy in our world as Christmas in America draws near.

In India an accident costs the lives and the suffering of many people. Arabian gunmen hold hostages and kill them as effortlessly and unfeelingly as we Americans kill flies at our family reunion picnics in the summer

sunshine.

But, amidst the tragedies, the spirit of Christmas dances in the hearts of many. Christmas brings out the expressions of thankfulness in all of us. Whether we live in sagging ceiling shacks or in hilltop mansions, if our loved ones are near us, then we are rich indeed.

We tend to close our eyes to the terrors and tragedies unless they

are happening to those we know and love (or to ourselves). Let us realize that the true meaning of Christmas is one of a spirit of thankfulness for our many blessings. Christmas is heat in the house, warmth in the heart and squeals of delight from happy children.

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Article makes Vet Day successful

Letter to the editor:

On behalf of the National Veterans Day executive committee, its director, Raymond Weeks, and myself, we would like to thank you for helping

make this 38th observance of National Veterans Day in Birmingham and Alabama a great success.

It is people such as you who, through the media, inspire others

to become aware of the veterans cause.

Jesse T. Deason
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Good Morning

by Milton Bird



They live on a little hill in the middle of a pine thicket where dark comes early. The pines shut out the light, with just a ray filtering through now and then, a little twinkling ray that pushes its way through and runs off out of sight toward the river.

If things had worked out we would have got there early. But they didn't. There was this lady that no one seemed to know and we must have gone twenty miles looking for her. We found her house at four o'clock. It was at least three miles to this other house. But we got there, a little before dark, and several hours before Santa was due.

There were five little folks in the front yard, all the way from about two to around ten, maybe. Little bright-eyed folks who must have been looking for us. They came running when we drove up. For two guys helping Santa Claus, it was a pretty sight.

But a fellow sees a lot of pretty things in a year. Things that make him glad he's living, a sort of happy feeling that sort o' wriggles around inside of him and settles down in a pleasing sort of way.

Like snowflakes falling on a quiet hill and everything so still a fellow can hear his own self breathing. A sunset at the close of a day, when something had been done that needed to be done and you were the one who did it. The light in a shut-in's eyes, a little brighter than the light in the room, because you remembered. A violet patch with a touch of winter still in the air, on the side of a bank where yesterday's icicles hung. Sunrise on a still lake and a little ripple down the bank where bluegills play. A little wind pushing its way through a sage patch and a little more movement further on where Dan

was making birds. A long walk through the woods with squirrels playing and bluebirds in a sumac bush and a stillness about that is better than a hundred pills.

One little boy, about eight, came up to the truck. He looked at the truck and back at his mother. The toys were loose in a cardboard box and he could see them. He took another peek and backed away and stood there holding on to his mother's skirt.

"We almost didn't get here," I said.

She was just standing there with the twilight in her eyes and looking far off as if, somewhere out there, things had suddenly turned beautiful. There was no doubt in her eyes now, no anxiety, no nothing. Unless you counted a still and peaceful glow that had slipped in, and that you could see if you looked close enough.

"For a little while when it was so late," she said, "I was afraid that maybe you wouldn't find the way."

The glow was still in her eyes. Maybe it was the prettiest sight I had seen all year.

Editor's note: This piece was reprinted at the columnist's request from his book "The Best of Good Morning." Entitled "Santa Due," it relates an incidence from the days when he would deliver toys purchased with the Christmas Fund, which he and the Columbiana United Methodist Church still sponsor. (See related story on Page A-5.)

The weekly 'Good Morning' column written by Milton Bird, is brought to you with the good wishes of the First National Bank of Columbiana, member FDIC.



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DON'T LET HOLIDAY SPIRITS
KILL THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

Alabama Scene

by Bob Ingram



Normally the holiday season is a slow news time, but not this year...

Gov. George Wallace, finally heeding the warnings of business and industrial leaders, has indicated the possibility of a special legislative session to consider a new co-employee lawsuit statute. He says Alabama is losing industry because of the present law.

Business/industrial leaders have been saying this for several years, but until now their warnings have fallen on deaf ears. Wallace's sudden interest in the issue caused one legislator - Sen. Charles Bishop of Jasper - to suggest the governor's motives were political, that he is thinking more about the 1986 governor's race than improving Alabama's business climate...

A decision by the Alabama Supreme Court concerning the state's drunk driving laws has created a tempest. The court ruled in a case that because the arresting officer did not properly verify the ticket given to the defendant, that the conviction was null and void.

If the ruling applies to all DUI convictions it would in effect wipe the record clean of all those convicted of driving drunk. Atty. Gen. Charles Graddick as well as leaders of Mothers

Against Drunk Driving (MADD) have asked for a rehearing in the case...

Wallace Manning, the driver of the car that collided with Secretary of State Don Siegleman and seriously injured his wife, has been sentenced to life imprisonment as a result of that mishap.

Manning was charged with driving while intoxicated, but later that was changed to felony assault. He had previously been convicted for burglary, car theft, escape and numerous other traffic violations...

And you would never have guessed it was the season to be jolly at the Prattville City Council meeting last week. A heated debate arose over the awarding of a health insurance contract for city employees - the mayor, C. Gray Price, wanted the contract to go to Humana Care Plus, the Council president, Malcolm D. Smith, favored Blue Cross-Blue Shield.

When the Council voted with Smith and Blue Cross, Mayor Price shouted to Smith: "You better not come close to me...I'll knock hell out of you..."

Merry Christmas to you, too.

Ho Ho Ho Columbiana's Bird gives

by David F. Moore
Question: What has a big heart, comes in a little package, and for years has been saying, "Ho, ho, ho! Give me some money!"
Answer: Milton Bird.
For some 15 years, Bird — perhaps better known as "Skillet" — has collected money for the Columbiana Christmas Fund, sponsored by the Columbiana United Methodist Church.
On Monday, a week before closing out his 1984 drive, Bird had collected more than \$2,900 toward his goal of \$3,000.
"Sure, I'll get it all," he said.
The money will once again ensure Christmas for about 230 children in 85 needy families recognized and distributed in the Columbiana — Wilsonville — Shelby area by the Depart-



Green decorations

Long-time Reporter columnist Milton "Skillet" Bird and Hugh Alford (right) believe in green decorations for the Christmas tree they've erected for the last three years at Alford's Breakfast House restaurant. As of Monday, some \$70 in decorations had been donated to the tree, all of which goes to the Columbiana Christmas Fund. (photo by David F. Moore)

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Westover license delayed

Commission approves liquor license

by K.A. Turner
The Shelby County Commission approved one liquor license and delayed action on a second during its regular Monday meeting.
The commission approved a license for Milford's Bar and Lounge, located on County Road 207 in Almont. The area is patrolled by the county sheriff's department with back-up by Montevallo.
"The number of residents in the area was very few and there were no objections," said Commissioner Harold Davenport, who initially voiced some concern over the request. "They welcomed it as a matter of fact."
Commissioner Leon Archer brought a request from Westover Country Club but said, "I will abstain from any participation in the vote or discussion because of my relationship with the applicant."
Wayne Archer, owner of Off-Road Westover and the Westover Country Club on that property, is the brother of the commissioner.
Archer asked Commissioner John Ames to handle interviews with local residents about the license application. The commission will act on the application at a later date.
In other business:
•The commission formally approved the resignation of hospital board member Charles McCombs after Commission Chairman Tommy Snowden read a letter of resignation received earlier in the month.
"I don't appreciate the letter

ment of Pension and Security.
While the cause is worthy, Bird confesses that he too gets something out of the annual drive.
"It's so much fun," he said. "The people who give are so nice
being buried and leaving us to read about this in the newspaper," said Ames, taking the floor. "Commissioner Morris should be reminded that it is not his prerogative to hold a letter. It is the commission that appoints and accepts resignations, not one commissioner."
Commissioner James E. "Jake" Morris was not present at the meeting.
•The commission accepted a bid from All-American Carpet in Westover to carpet the Shelby County Board of Education offices. The \$8.50 per square yard price is not to cost over \$5,000, said education financial coordinator Jim Davis.
•Helena area resident Tommie Workman asked the commission why action had not taken on a letter written to the group by her husband, Lou Workman.
That letter, which Workman asked to have entered on minutes of the December 10 meeting, asked questions in three areas.
1) Workman had addressed the possibility of night commission meetings.
2) He asked the commission to request that Hal Thompson be contacted about paying the \$25,000 in over time pay that the county paid to sheriff's deputies during the recent PGA tournament at Shoal Creek.
3) He asked the commission to state its desires concerning the rumored sale of the Shelby Medical Center.
The letter was not put into the minutes in the December 10

meeting, nor was it allowed in the minutes of the Monday meeting.
"I don't think the hospital needs to be a continuous topic of conversation," Snowden said. "The hospital is on its way to a good thing. We've had enough controversy. I want to see it off of the front page and let them buckle down to doing a good job."
"You constitute 2/75,000 of the population of Shelby County," Ames said to Mrs. Workman. "I don't think the commission should be subject to the continual criticisms of one person."
Mrs. Workman said she felt her husband was being denied his right as a citizen of Shelby County to have his letter entered in the commission meeting minutes.
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"Litigation is the next logical step," she said.
In further discussion with Mrs. Workman, Snowden said that the commission would be happy to meet with county residents in any area at night, but that the regular meeting of the commission should remain during business hours.
In addition, he said the matter concerning Hall Thompson is being pursued, and more information concerning the monies from the PGA should be forthcoming.

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Sports

For the record

8-points bagged

Columbiana's Jeff Hand killed an eight-point buck this week. An Alabaster father and son team - Frank and Glenn Rikard - each got a buck during hunting last weekend.

County hunters who notch kills are asked to call the Reporter at 669-3131.

Perkins leads Lady Falcons

Former Montevallo Lady Bulldog Ruth Perkins continues to lead the University of Montevallo Lady Falcons to victories. The latest, a win over Freed-Hardeman, featured 20 points from Perkins. This is a new single game high for the junior from Montevallo.

The Lady Falcons, 4-3 on the season following the win, are led in scoring by Perkins. She is currently hitting for 15.4 points per game. In addition, her 7.1 per game rebound average is also tops for the UM ladies.

Congrats are in order

Congratulations to Briarwood head basketball coach Steve Franklin on the arrival of his new son. Bryant Stephen Franklin was born Sunday, Dec. 16, weighing 5 lbs. 13 oz.

B-cats drop game

The Shelby County High School B-team Wildcats dropped a close decision to Curry, 41-39.

Shawn King led the SCHS scoring with 15 points. Johnny Boose followed with eight, while Harold Washington added six.

King Player of the Week

University of Montevallo Falcon Kennedy King was named the Southern States Conference Player of the Week last week for his 23 point performance in UM's 86-85 overtime win over Stillman. King hit a shot at the buzzer to give UM the win.

Despite a strong performance from King, the Falcons dropped an 87-77 decision to Troy State last week. King had 18 points and six rebounds to lead UM in the game.

Stallions will stay home

The Birmingham Stallions have announced plans to remain in Birmingham for training camp again this season.

"Our facilities at Legion Field are so excellent, we felt it would be best to again train here," said Stallion president Jerry Sklar. "We like being here for the benefit of our fans, too. Last year we had good crowds at most of the workouts and the people seemed to appreciate us holding camp here. We hope the fans will come out again."

The Stallions will open training camp on January 21, with workouts held daily at Legion Field. The third season of the USFL is set to begin in mid-February.

Winston 500 selling fast

If past tendencies are any barometer, the 1985 running of the Winston 500 in Talladega will be a popular race. Talladega track officials announced last week that the "Birmingham Tower," reserved seats for the race, are sold out, the earliest sell-out in the history of the race for that select group of seats.

Ticket manager Larry Allen said that all tickets for the event are selling fast, some going as Christmas gifts.

"We are significantly ahead of last year's pace," Allen said, "and the 1984 Winston 500 was the largest ever."

Coaches name 'Dream Team'

by K.A. Turner

There was talent at every position in Shelby County high school football during the 1984 season, and the 1984 Coaches' All-County Team reflects that fact.

The 22 members of the 1984 dream team include offensive and defensive linemen, offensive backs, quarterbacks, defensive backs and receivers.

The county's two most successful teams - the Shelby County High Wildcats and the Montevallo Bulldogs - dominated the all-county team with four representatives each.

Thompson and Vincent each placed three team members, with all other county teams landing two.



TONY JOHNSON, PHS
...QB/CB

The 1984 all-county team features seven linemen: Shelby County High offensive guard Leroy Martin, Montevallo center Andy Brindley and Bulldog offensive and defensive tackle Lonnie Layton, Chelsea offensive guard/defensive end Matt Russell, THS offensive and defensive tackle Homer Threatt and Vincent noseguard Rouglas Datcher.

Quarterbacks include SCHS's Kenneth Jones and Pelham's Tony Johnson, both of whom doubled as defensive backs.

Runningbacks include Shelby County's Ambrose Wood, Thompson's Todd Harris, Chelsea's Walt Tatum and Calera's Mike West. Wood also saw playing time as a defensive back, and West doubled as a linebacker.

Three other runningbacks, Anthony Prentice and Andy Chism, both of Montevallo, and Vincent's Cedric Riggins excelled as two-way players, all three doubling as linebackers.

Receivers include Thompson's Preston Hansford (tight end), Vincent's Bruce Hamilton (tight end), Briarwood's Bob Farris and Pelham's Jackie Johnson. Johnson and Hamilton doubled as defensive ends for their respective teams. Hansford saw double duty as a defensive tackle for the Warriors.

Linebackers include Calera's Dan Campbell and Briarwood's John Kirkpatrick.

Twenty-eight additional players received honorable mention from the county coaches. Listed by team, they include:

•Briarwood: receiver Milton Seabolt, linebacker Will Burke, and linebacker/center Randy Gilbert;

•Calera: tailback Darryl Griffith, tackle Barry Pickett, guard Russell Crowe, end Scotty Wells, defensive tackle Eddie Smith, and fullback Kenny Marsh;

•Chelsea: offensive guard/linebacker Joe Lee, quarterback/free safety Mike Fant, cornerback/safety Tim Williams, and offensive tackle/defensive tackle Mort Moody;

•Montevallo: tight end/defensive end

Freeman Rutledge, noseguard Quentin Chism, centerback/receiver Trey Hughes, and tackle Johnny Holsembeck;

•Pelham: fullback/linebacker Toby Scott, tailback/centerback Bobby Gignillant, receiver/defensive back Tony Jeffers;

•Shelby County: center/defensive tackle Kerry Horton, fullback/linebacker Mark Cardwell, cornerback/flanker David Wood;

•Thompson: defensive end Manny Swain, center/noseguard David Grill, linebacker/center Kevin Ballard;

•Vincent: offensive tackle/defensive tackle Jeff Kelley and offensive tackle/defensive end Cornelius McGinnis.



KENNETH JONES, SCHS
...quarterback

Chelsea celebrates successful year

by K.A. Turner

The Chelsea High School football Hornets - team members, coaches, families and fans - took time to celebrate a successful season last week with the school's annual football banquet.

Chelsea finished 1984 at 7-3, the best mark compiled by the Hornets in over a decade. Chelsea was guided again by Richard Conkle, the first man ever to coach the Hornets and back again in 1984 for the first time in several years.

All aspects of the Hornet football program were recognized, with special tribute paid to the seniors of the '84 team.

"This is the finest group of seniors I've had the pleasure of working with in a long time," Conkle said. "We just want you to know that we love you and you will be missed."

Cheerleaders and the junior high program also honored their best during the evening.

Seniors Matt Russell and Mike Fant were the big award winners.

Russell left with Most Valuable Player honors, Most Valuable

Defensive Lineman honors, and was elected a permanent captain.

Fant won the Stug award - that's guts spelled backwards - the scholastic award, and was also named a permanent captain.

The third permanent captain - all elected by the players themselves - was Walt Tatum. The running back was also named the Most Valuable Offensive Back for the '84 Hornets.

Senior Tim Williams was named the Most Valuable Defensive Back.

Joe Lee, also a senior, took home Most Valuable Offensive Lineman honors.

Mike Beavers - the only junior among the top award winners - was named the Most Improved Player.

Among varsity cheerleaders, Shelly Lee was named the cheerleader with the most spirit.

Kevin Frangoopolos was named the Most Valuable Player on the junior varsity team.

Billy Scoggins was the Most Valuable Back and Scott Davis the Most Valuable Lineman for the JV team.



Football honorees

The Chelsea Hornets took time out to honor their best last week during the school's annual football banquet. Chelsea finished the year 7-3, the best mark for the Hornets in over a decade. Award winner on the team included (front l. to r.) Walt Tatum, Matt Russell, (middle l. to r.) Joe Lee, Mike Beavers, (back l. to r.) Mike Fant and Tim Williams. (photo by K.A. Turner)



ROUNDBALL ROUNDUP

by K. A. Turner

Calera wins two

Thirty points and 12 rebounds by Greg Haynes paced the Calera Eagles to a 75-59 win over Chelsea, the first of two for the Eagles last week.

Kenny Marsh hit 14 points and pulled in 10 rebounds to add to the Calera total. Willie Taylor scored eight points and grabbed seven rebounds in the contest.

Chelsea placed three men in double figures, Keith Welch leading with 22 points. Stephen Guthrie added 14 and Steve Shelton 12 for the Hornets. Welch, David Lehner, and Matt Russell were rebounding leaders in the effort.

Calera made it a perfect week by playing what coach Gary Griffith called "our best game by far" in taking an 83-55 win over Moody.

"We started real fast," Griffith said. "We got the opening tip and Greg Haynes took it for a slam dunk. We were ahead 11-1 at one point then went from there."

Byron White led the Calera scoring and rebounding with 20 points and 14 caroms. Kenny

Marsh added 17 points and 11 rebounds, while Haynes recorded 12 points and five boards.

Chelsea rebounded from the Calera loss with what coach Mike Sims called "our best game of the season", beating Moody 61-43.

In a game in which every Hornet played, Steve Shelton led the scoring with 24 points. Stephen Guthrie added 18. Keith Welch, David Lehner, and Shelton were the Hornet rebounding leaders.

The Pelham Panthers played "Dr. Jeckyl and Mr. Hyde" said coach Tony Taylor in recording a win and a loss last week.

The win was a 58-55 overtime thriller against Berry. The loss was a 48-33 decision with Hueytown.

In the Berry game, Lee Snyder was the scoring leader with 18 points, including a 10-11 performance at the foul line. John North added 13 points in the win.

In the overtime period, Pelham scored the first four points then stalled the ball for most of the remainder of the game.

"The whole team did a good job in the overtime period,"

Taylor said. "We stalled the ball well and hit some key free throws."

Snyder and Larry Shelton both got credit for key rebounds during the OT. Snyder's following a missed Panther free throw and Shelton's a put back for two points.

Against Hueytown, Sammy Nelms and Rick Wilkerson led the Pelham scoring with nine points.

"We never could gain any consistency in the game," Taylor said. "We also didn't handle their press well, which is unusual for us."

The Thompson Warriors ran their record to 9-1 with two wins last week.

Twenty-nine points and 15 rebounds from Chris Thomas paced the Warriors in a 77-72 win over Banks.

Tracy Threatt added 14 points and Tony Hale hit 12.

Hale and Terry Sumerlin each recorded eight assists in the win, a point coach Thomas Johnson noted with pleasure. In addition, Johnson credited Todd Harris

with five big rebounds coming off the bench.

The Warriors placed four players in double figures in the first of two annual battles with Montevallo, taking an 88-52 win.

Dana Washington hit 23 points to lead the THS scoring. Chris Thomas added 16, Richard Kidd 13, and Tony Hale 12 to round out the double figure scoring for Thompson.

Washington also got the rebounding lead with 10, followed by nine from Thomas.

Terry Sumerlin recorded five assists in the game.

For Montevallo, Tommy Bivins put in 22 points.

"We are a young team," MHS coach Bobby Pearson said. "Thompson has a super club and we were just out-manned. But things will get better for us."

For Johnson, the week was important as he saw his team's overall effort improve. "The kids have played real hard since the loss to Homewood," he said. "They are showing a lot more intensity, even in practice."

The Shelby Academy Raiders

THS-MHS SA wins two

used good defense and a controlled game pace to take two more wins last week.

"The tempo of the game and the good defense is what is working for us," SA coach Dwayne Kervin said. "We won 19 games last year averaging only 43 points per game. That's about what we are scoring now. We try to set a slow tempo and work for a good shot, no matter how long it takes."

Dennis Attaway and Vince Pickett each had 11 points in the Raiders 41-20 win over Minor.

Pickett shared top rebounding honors with Kelly Tibbals.

Ten points from Robert Thomas led the Raiders to a 33-27 win over Southern. Attaway led the rebounding effort in that game with eight.

The Briarwood Lions ended the pre-Christmas portion of their season with a 63-42 win over Indian Springs.

Conrad Carpenter hit 11 points, Milton Seabolt scored 10, and Phil Rooks added eight in a game that saw every Briarwood player score.

Keith Lusco led Indian Springs

with 14 points.

Indian Springs rebounded for a 60-56 win over Gilmore-Bell, evening their week's record at 1-1.

Lusco was again the scoring leader, this time hitting 22 points. Freshman Lawrence Garcia added 11, David Garcia and Evan Goldberg each got nine, and Randy Mason hit eight in the win.

Lusco and Tony Tropeano shared the lead in assists with seven.

Mason and Lusco led the rebounding effort with 10 and eight respectively.

The Vincent Yellowjackets took a 50-46 win over B.B. Comer last week, running their record to 5-2 for the year.

"Anytime you go across the river to Talladega County and escape with a win you feel fortunate," coach Richard Crumpton said of the win. "We feel real good about being 5-2 with five of those games being on the road."

Bruce Hamilton paced the Jacket scoring with 24 points. Tony Hamilton was the rebounding leader with 17, Bruce adding 14 caroms.





AMBROSE WOOD, SCHS
...tailback



TODD HARRIS, THS
...tailback



WALT TATUN, CHELSEA
...fullback



MIKE WEST, CALERA
...tailback

'84 Coaches' All-County



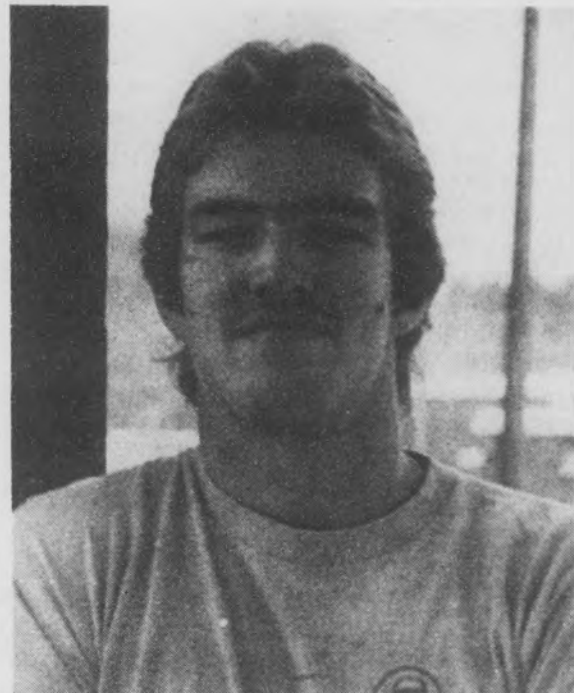
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...RB/LB



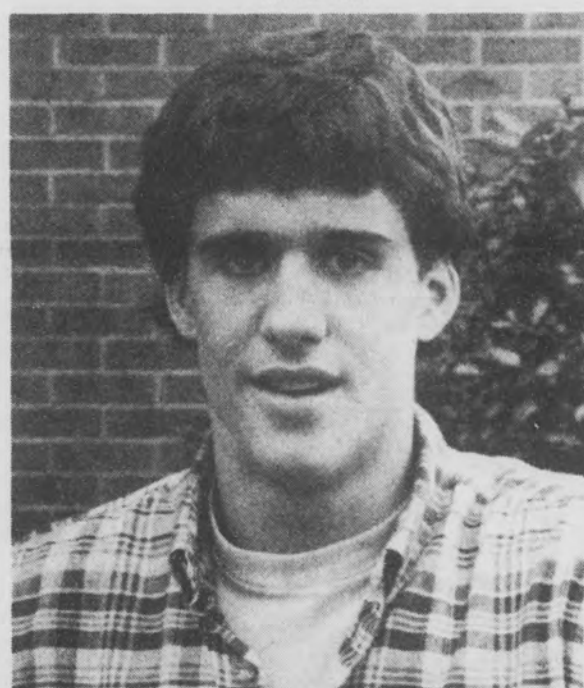
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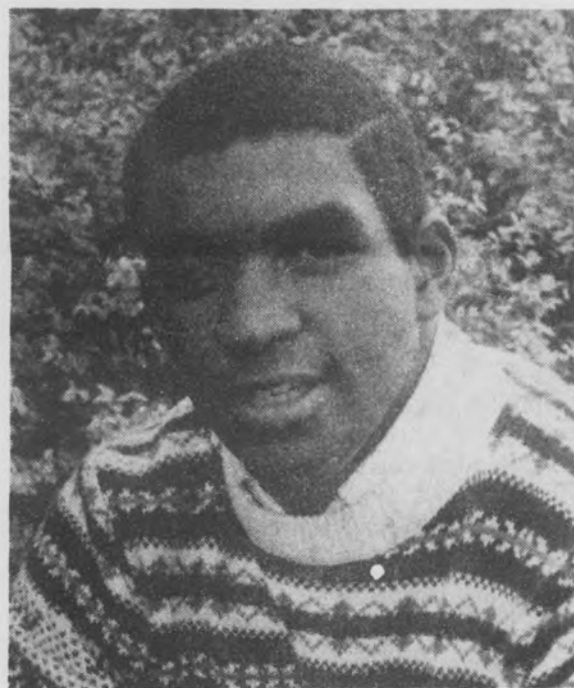
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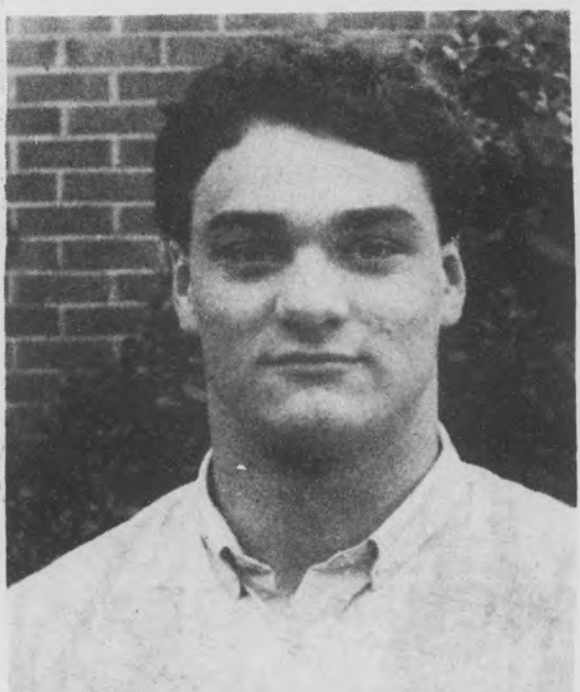
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...receiver



JACKIE JOHNSON, PHS
...FI/DE



DAN CAMPBELL, CALERA
...linebacker



JOHN KIRKPATRICK, BCHS
...linebacker



ANDY BRINDLEY, MHS
...C/OT



LONNIE LAYTON, MHS
...OT/DT



MARK TIDMORE, SCHS
...offensive tackle



HOMER THREATT, THS
...OT/DT



ROUGLAS DATCHER, VHS
...noseguard



LEROY MARTIN, SCHS
...offensive guard



MATT RUSSELL, CHELSEA
...OG/DE

Santa, 'bring daddy an Auburn suit'

Dear Santa,
I hope things are going fine up there at the shop. I've been waiting for Christmas all year. Please bring me some G.I. Joe, transformers, Gobots, and a couple surprises. One night I want you to get me up to where I can see Rudolph.

Your friend,
Stevie Becker

Dear Santa,
Christmas is my favoiite time of the year. I want a Transformer, Gobot, a Electronics set, and many others but they won't fit on this page so I'll tell you something else. I love Christmas songs like jingle bells, Here comes Santa.

Yours truly,
Daniel Creed

Dear Santa,
How are you doing at the North Pole? I'm doing fine here. For Christmas I would really, really want a Cabbage Patch Kid, a Make & Bake oven, a Baby Needs a Name and a sewing kit also a stuffed animal. And for daddy an AUBURN suit and one for me, too. And for mommy some clothes. And for Chris about four or five transformers, he wants them bad.

Your friend,
Cari Lovelady

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year. The main things I want are: a computer desk, a monitor and a gobot command center.

Your friend,
Brian Roberts

Dear Santa,
If you will please help me help my nephew. I'm not asking for toys for me. I'm asking for my nephew. My nephew is only 11 months old, and my dad is on strike and he want be going back. So we can't by too many toys, and it will be my nephews first Christmas, and I want him to have a merry and happy first Christmas.

Signed,
Angie Lucas

Dear Santa,
I've been good all year and have been waiting for you all year. If you would please bring me a transformer, telescope, paint set battleship game, and a Heman. Thank you.

Your friend,
Lee Coxwell

Dear Santa,
I want a gold bracelet, watch

and a pink birthstone ring. There's one more thing I want, a pair of gold double heart earrings. Santa I can't wait till you come visit me.

Love,
Emily Gilliam

Dear Santa,
Have I been good this year? I hope I have because here is my Christmas list: A My Little Pony Sleeping bag, a Makeit Bakeit, My Little Pony Seahorse, My Little Pony unicorn named Moon-dancer, a Barbie Remote Control Corvette and a stuffed unicorn. My mother would like a toaster to.

Your friend,
Karin Shirley

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. My sister, Emily, has been good too.

I want a Care Bear and any kind of stuffed animal. Tell Mrs. Claus to come see us.

Your friend,
Belinda Harrison

Dear Santa,
I've been pretty good this year. I would like something for my Cabbage Patch Baby. Her name is Glynnis Gussie. I would like some things from the Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders. I think I

would like some make-up and a desk for makeup.

Your best friend,
Sharon Hayden

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas. 1. leg warmers 2. a ballheaded Cabbage patch kid. 3. leg warmers with a sweater to match. 4. basket for my bike. 5. pajamas 6. incyclopidias 7. teddy bear 8. a V.C.R. 9. a Printer for my computer.

Well by now.

Your friend
Stephanie Linn

Dear Santa,
I believe in you. Some people don't. I do! Do you think I have been good? I have a lot of questions for you. When's Christmas? how many more days? have I been good? am I going to get anything for Christmas? I'm sorry I bothered you with my questions. I be letting you go. I know your busy, busy.

Your friend,
Laura Massey

Dear Santa,
I want 6 transformers, a super cliff hanger set, a telescope, a walkie talkie, and a A team train set.

Merry Christmas

Your friend,
David Downs

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy, will you please send me these things: a sandmaster buggy, Dungeons and Dragons, roller skates, a battery charger, two race cars. I hope you have had a nice year! P.S. Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Daniel Nervin

Dear Santa,
I've been watching the bright lights at houses, and the Christmas specials, and been thinking about you all along. When I come to see you I'm going to wish for a bicycle and a lot of other stuff. I can't wait till

Christmas. By the way I have been a good boy!

Yours truly,
Chris Bruton

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year so I hope you bring me what I ask for. The first and only thing I really want is a "Verbot" or a "Max" Robot and a big suprise. I can't wait till Christmas.

Your friend,
Scott Dennis

Dear Santa,
I have got all A's so far in school. I've been good at home too. All I want for Christmas is some transformers and surprises. Don't forget the cookies. My brother Joseph wants a He-man bike and G.I. Joe train and transformers. I hope you have a nice Christmas.

Love,
Jami Davis

Dear Santa,
I like you very, very much! What are you bringing to me for Christmas?

Well, I want lots of toys and chemistry stuff. You know Dec. 25 is Jesus' birthday! Do you celebrate too? Are you almost through making toys? I hope so! Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

With love from,
Melanie Higgins

Dear Santa,
I have been good and my sisters too. I want a make-it and bake-it oven.

My sister and I want a cabbage patch kid. Please bring my baby sister a doll.

Santa please bring us surprise toys. Thank-you dear Santa.

Love
Catrina, Crystal and Cheryl Gunn



Christmas for needy

In two weeks, the 409 employees at the E.C. Gaston Steam Plant in Wilsonville donated \$870.87 - plus some \$555 worth of bicycles and other toys - to help the Department of Pensions and Security ensure Christmas for needy families in Shelby County. Hundreds of dollars more were donated to fellow employees laid off for health

reasons. Ed Covington, manager of plant operations, said the workers intend to make the drive an annual event. Volunteers for the drive were James Ray, Randy Roberson, Luther Mooney, Tim Hall, Jimmy Cook, Jimmy Gurganus, Jerry Nelson, Covington, Joe Martin, Delene Carter and Debbie Gurganus. (photo by David F. Moore)

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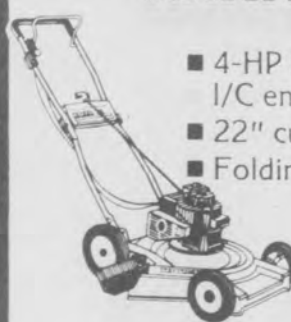
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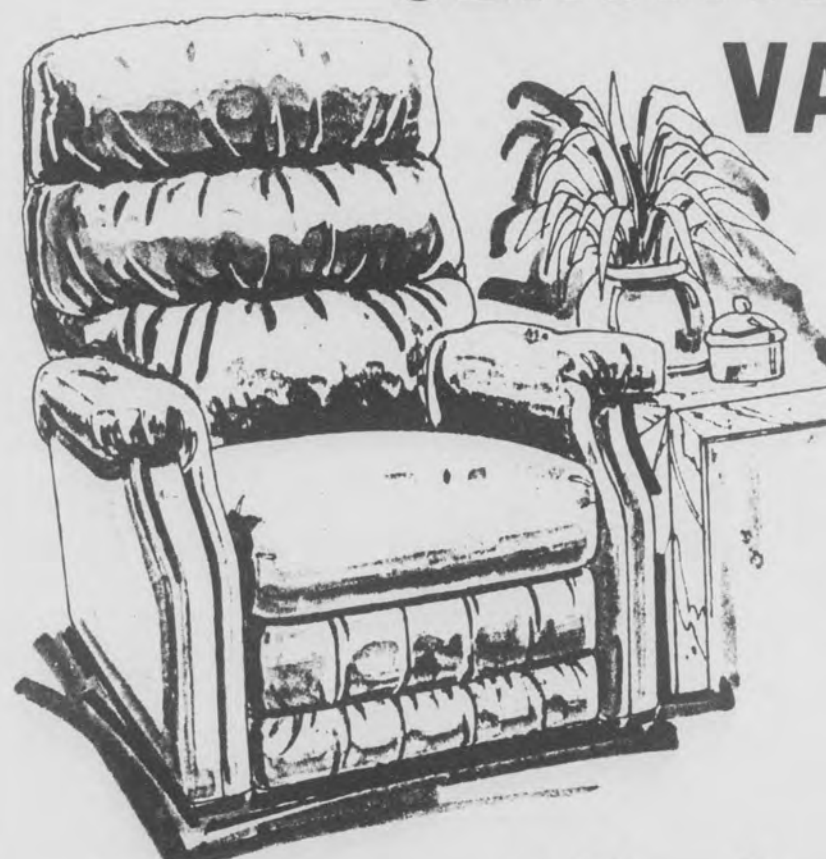


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Thompson donation

Members of the National Honor Society at Thompson High School collected some 16 boxes of canned goods for the Toys for Tots program. Honor society members displaying the food are, from left, Mat Pigan, president; Sherri Hyde and Tracy Moody, secretary. (photo by Jim Parks)

TO ALL NORTH SHELBY COUNTY FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL DISTRICT RESIDENTS:

The Fire District service charges are past due at midnight Saturday, Dec. 29, 1984.

Please have your service charge payment in the District office prior to Dec. 29 to avoid late penalty.

Social news

by Paula Seale

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pickett of Pea Ridge will celebrate their Golden wedding anniversary in their home on Sunday, Dec. 23 from 1 p.m. til 5 p.m.

This party is being given by Mr. and Mrs. Pickett's children, Barbara, Judy, granddaughter Jennifer and daughter-in-law Lisa.

All friends and relatives invited. No gifts.

The First Baptist Church of Alabaster had a live nativity scene on Dec. 17 & 18.

Recently the young adult class of the United Methodist Church of Columbiana had a progressive dinner with appetizers at the home of Jim and Lisa Davis, boild shrimp dinner at the home of Conrad and Rachel Fowler and dessert at the home of Ronald and Rachael Richey.

There were approximately 37 members and guests present.

Ernest H. and Joyce E. Clark of Maylene are expecting both of their children, who are serving in the military, home for Christmas Holidays. Their daughter, Alisa D. Clark, graduated from Naval Basic Training in Orlando, FL, the last of August and has just completed Hospital Corps Training at the Naval Hospital Corps School in Great Lakes, IL. She has been assigned to further duty in January to Portsmouth, VA. Alisa is a 1983 graduate of Thompson High School.

Their son, Gregory W. Clark, who has served for two years in the Air Force is stationed at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, CO.

Gregory is a 1982 graduate of Thompson High School.

Recently the Columbiana Extension Homemakers Club held their Christmas luncheon at the home of Mrs. Joyce Jones.

There were 15 members present at the meeting.

Mrs. Jones was recognized by the clubs council for making the Christmas wreaths for the door of the Historical Museum in Columbiana.

Gifts for the Girls Ranch, near Childersburg, were brought to the meeting. Also, the group recently made a donation to the

Arts and Humanities organization and a donation to the Cemetery Fund in Columbiana.

Montevallo Methodist Kindergarten is now registering for an additional program for three year old children.

This program will begin in January.

To register your child - call 665-7535 or 665-7541.

Recently the Columbiana Culture Club held their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Sam Roberts.

Meditation was given by Mrs. Clyde Aycock with the reading of "The Christmas Story."

Mrs. Robert Bolton, program leader, presented a "Christmas Party" with games and the exchanging of gifts around the festive Christmas decorations.

During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostess.

There will be a Big Band New Years eve dance (open to the public) from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. featuring Joe Giattina and his 19 piece band, Bama Cardinals. Vocals by Mary Ogletree.

Seating will be limited. To order your tickets and make reservations call Roma Country Club at 942-9673.

Don't wait until the last minute - get your tickets and reservations two weeks in advance and insure your presence at this Gala event.

The Xi Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi recently held rituals for three members.

Pledge rituals were held for Clelida Nix; a welcome ritual for Matha Waddell; an exemplar ritual for Murial McCutchen.

The chapter members were hostesses for an executive coordinating committee party which included other chapters.

The theme for the party was College Football.

A donation from this event will be presented to the Shelby County Attention Home on Thursday, Dec. 20. The members will host a Christmas party for the children at the A-Home.

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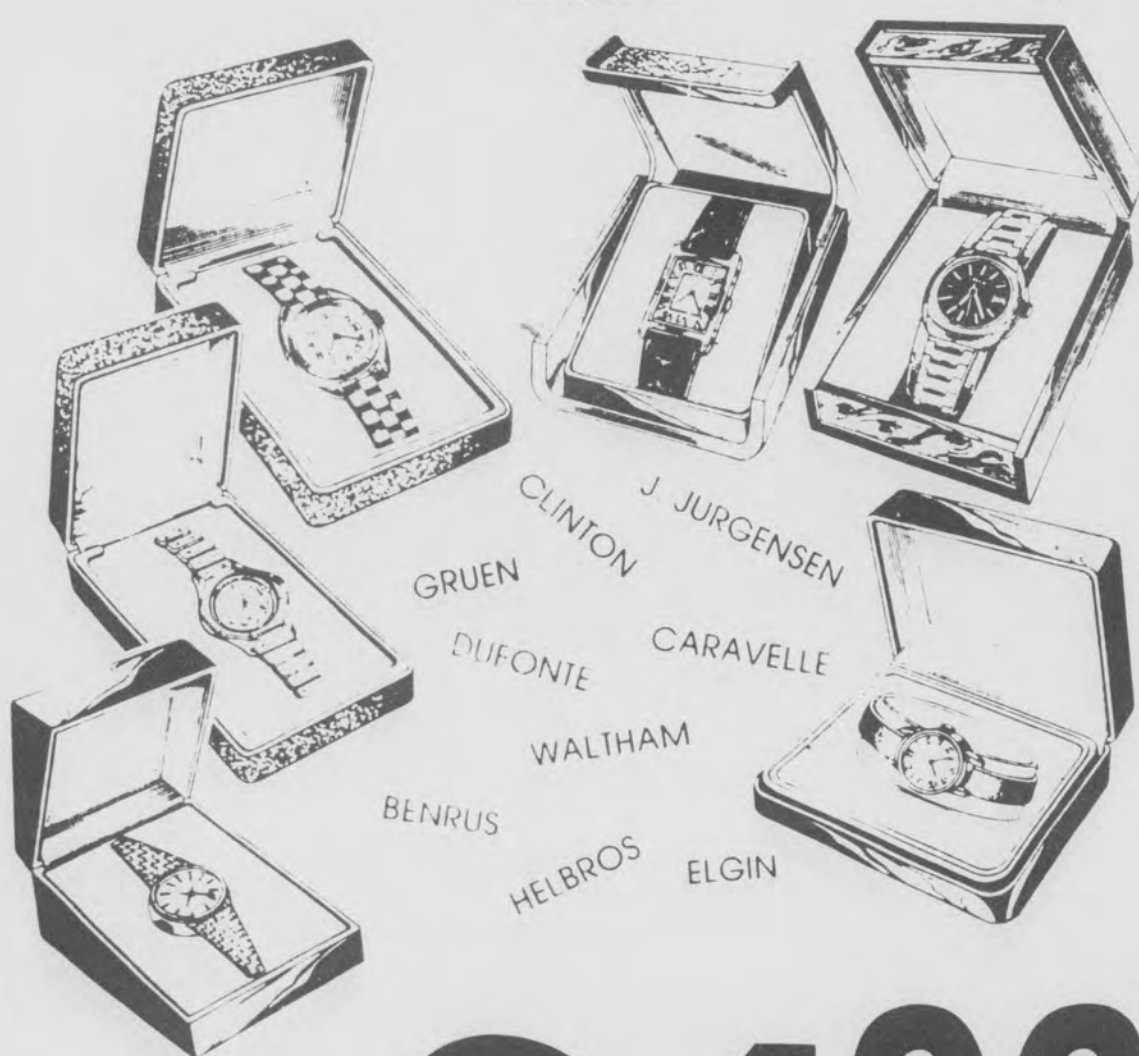
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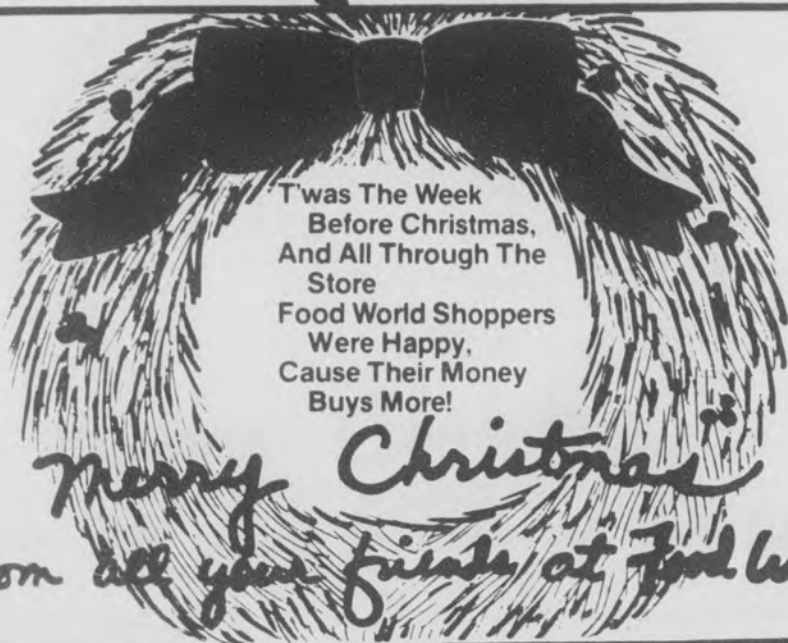
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PELHAM



Church news

by Paula Seale
Oak Mountain Assembly of God are producing a play "No Greater Gift," on Friday, Dec. 21, at 7:15 p.m.
The cast welcomes everyone to attend this fascinating play.

On Dec. 31 Shady Grove Baptist Church will have a Watch Night Service beginning at 8 p.m.
The guest singers will be the Gleamers and any other group that would like to attend.

The Rev. Sherman Harper and singing chairman, Mike Hill welcomes everyone to attend.
The church is located on Hwy 280 east and County 41 north.

Christ The King Lutheran Church will have two Christmas Eve Services. The service of lessons and carols will begin at

7:30 p.m. and the Holy Communion service with a "Candlelighting Ceremony" will begin at 11 p.m.

The church is located at 611 Riverchase Parkway West.

The Mt. Olive Baptist Church of Wilton is sponsoring a benefit program for the needy people of Haiti.

This program will be held on Saturday, Dec. 29 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 30 at 2 p.m.

"We are asking all churches and members to please come and help us in this great event. We need your support," says Rev. Albert Lee Jones, pastor, and Mary Williams.

Good Hope United Methodist Church will host the Rev. Earl Gordon on Sunday, Dec. 23.

Rev. Gordon will deliver the Christmas message.

The church would like to express their thanks to the Rev. Gordon for taking time out of his busy schedule to be with them at this time.

Grace Chapel Church welcomes everyone to their Sunday worship service on Dec. 23. Their morning worship service begins at 10 a.m. and the evening service begins at 6 p.m. and Wednesday Bible Study at 7 p.m.

This is a new church founded by the Rev. Dwight Joyner, and is only 5 months old and growing larger each week.

The church is located in the Maylene Union Hall building.

If you have any church news, please call Paula at 669-3131.

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Obituaries

CURTIS REVA TRUSSELL
Curtis Trussell, 75, of Vincent, died on Dec. 12.

He is survived by his widow, Lela Trussell; sons, Clarence Trussell of Montevallo, Willie Trussell of Alabaster, Bobby, Jerry & Herbert Trussell of Vincent; daughters, Clarice Butler of Montevallo, Vernie Bell McDonald of Vincent Jeanette Bryant of Vincent, Doris Moore, Kathy Thomas and Lorraine Kitchens, all of Florida; 32 grandchildren and 43 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Friday, Dec. 14 at Kilgroe Funeral Home Chapel in Leeds with interment in Mt. Hebron Cemetery.

LURINIA SMITH
Lurinia Smith, 65, of Calera, died in Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 16.

She is survived by her son, Herman J. Smith of Calera; sisters, Marie Tucker and Louise Horton, both of Calera, Katherine Glass of Columbiana; brothers, Floyd Gothard of Siluria, Claude and Alton Gothard, both of Jemison, Troy Gothard of Montevallo; three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 18 at Rock Springs Baptist Church with interment in Rock Springs Cemetery.

GEORGE BURNETT
George Burnett, 83, of Pelham, died at Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 7.

He is survived by his widow, Velma Burnett; sons, Harland and Marlin Burnett of Alabaster, Marvin Burnett of Centreville; daughters, Helen Roberson and Lucille McGaughy, both of Alabaster, Lois Pate of Pelham; step-son, Floyd Gentry of Pelham; sisters, Alamae Lavinsky of Tuscaloosa, Oda Inzer of Trussville; 29 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandson.

Funeral services were held December 9, at Pelham Church of God with interment at Elliottsville Cemetery.

FRED MARLIN WILSON, JR.
Fred Wilson, Jr., 72, of

Brookwood, died on Dec. 12.

He is survived by his sons, Rev. Bill F. Wilson of Brookwood, Gary Wayne Wilson of Florida; daughters, Dorothy Gilbreath of Tuscaloosa, Doris Hood of Florence; brothers, O.L. Wilson of Birmingham, Rev. Frank Wilson of Pebble Springs; sisters, Mrs. E.S. Hurt of Texas, Mrs. G.R. Dollar of Birmingham; 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 14 at the Hoffman-Rockco Chapel with interment in Salem Cemetery.

BERNARD MCCALL
Bernard McCall, 57, of Bessemer, died in the V.A. Hospital on Dec. 14.

He is survived by his widow, June M. McCall; brothers, O.J. and Richard McCall, both of Shelby; sisters, Bernice Crum of Calera, Mary Vardaman of Saginaw and Betty Kirkland of Columbiana.

The graveside ceremony took place on Dec. 16 in Pelham Cemetery.

LILLIE C. MURDOCK
Lillie Murdock, 79, of Wilsonville, died at Brookwood Medical Center on Dec. 15.

She is survived by daughters, Jane Barton of Georgia, Joyce Walker of Birmingham, Kay Ray of Wilsonville; son, John C. Murdock of Texas; sister, Edith Luck of Virginia; 13 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

The graveside service was held on Dec. 17 in Wilsonville Cemetery. The Rev. Tom Higgins officiated.

THOMAS E. POTTS
Thomas Potts, 69, of Brierfield, died in Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 16.

He is survived by his sister, Mary Dennis Potts of Birmingham; brothers, James Potts of Montevallo, William Potts Florida, Joseph Potts of Jacksonville and Francis Potts of Brierfield.

The funeral services were held on Dec. 18 at Hoffman-Rockco Chapel with interment in Community Cemetery.

The CHURCH points the way to GOD

Church Directory



Alabaster Church of God
1st Ave. W., 1 Block below Post Office
Carl P. Miller, Pastor
663-9295
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday (F.T.H.) 7 p.m.

Antioch I Baptist Church
Kingdom Community
Columbiana
Howard Brasher, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Training Union 6 p.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer 7 p.m.

Apostolic Truth Center
Hwy 25, South of Columbiana
669-9371
John Beane, Pastor
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Sunday Night 7 p.m.
Mid-Week, Wednesday 7 p.m.
Come Worship With Us

Bay Springs Baptist Church
South of Shelby
669-9075
Truman Graves, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethel Baptist Church
Int. Hwys. 25 & 49
Glenn Langner, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Baptist Church
1 Block N.E. of Springcreek
Grocery at Hwys. 71 & 46
665-4549
Pat Edwin Minshew, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
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Briarwood Presbyterian Church
6255 Cahaba Valley Road
(South Location)
Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
Worship Services 9:45 a.m.

Calcis Missionary Baptist
Hwy 25, between Vincent & Sterrett
John B. Dye, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"The Family Church"

Calera Baptist Church
Corner of Hwys 31 So & 25
Mack D. McCollum, Pastor
Minister of Ed/Youth, Joseph Sorah
Minister of Music, Debra Horton
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Vincent
672-9384
Bill Nugent, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Christ Church, United Methodist
5191 Caldwell Mill Road,
Birmingham, Alabama 35244
991-5065
Byron White, Minister
Worship 8:30 - 9:40 - 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:40 & 11 a.m.
U.M.Y.F. 5 p.m.
"A Spirit Filled Church"

Christ the King Lutheran Church
611 Riverchase Parkway West
988-5004
The Rev. Gary M. Schimmer
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.
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Mother's Day Out, Wed. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
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Columbiana Church of Christ
Joe W. Pruett, Minister
Hwy 25 By-Pass Columbiana
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Columbiana First Baptist
"The Friendly Church"
Tim Williams, Pastor
669-3128
208 No. Main St., Columbiana
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 6:30 p.m.

Crosscreek Baptist Church
600 Crosscreek Trail, Pelham
663-4886
Dr. Richard Wash, Pastor
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"Creative Christianity"

Enon Baptist Church
Rick Evans, Pastor
Intersection Co. Rds. 89 & 18
Between Montevallo & Calera
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7 p.m.

1st Baptist Church of Alabaster
Corner of 3rd Ave. & 9th St. NW
Dr. Wayne Crumpton, Pastor
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Matthew 2:1-12
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What is giving? A Christmas gift is given by a friend, family member or business associate out of love, appreciation or expectation. Where did this practice of Christmas giving originate? The first gifts were given by a group of wise men to a newborn baby named Jesus. Who were these wise men? Biblical historians tell us they were Babylonian astronomers who had observed a strange star formation and followed it to Judea looking for the birth of an unusual king. These wise men which tradition says were three because of the number of gifts, brought with them appropriate gifts. If we look closely at them we can learn to give a wise man's gift.

I. The Wise Men Looked Beyond the Normal to See a Miracle.

The revelation of God can often come to us when we are about the tasks of our daily life if we are willing to look. These Babylonian stargazers looked beyond the normal and saw the miraculous. God reveals Himself in His precious book, the Bible, in the eyes of little children and the beauty of nature. Thomas Hardy, listening to a thrush's song wrote these words, "Some blessed hope, whereof the thrush knew and I was unaware." Thomas Hardy was a skeptic yet he discovered in nature the hope of God.

We can also discover the presence of God by looking beyond the routine and see the miracles of God all around us. II. It Took These "Outsiders" to Point Out a Great Fact.

These wise men followed a star to Jerusalem searching for a king. Yet when they arrived they discovered that King Herod and the religious

leaders were totally unaware that the greatest birth in history had occurred six miles away.

We miss the real impact of the birth of Christ when we dress the manger in velvet and place halos on the heads of Mary, Joseph, and Jesus. John said, "the word became flesh and lived among us" (John 1:14). The Son of God condescended to assume the dependent form of a baby so that He might truly be identified with us. When we dress up the manger scene we rob Him of the impact of the simplicity of His birth. A birth that was not even noticed by the closest political and religious leaders. We need to be open to others who can help us recapture the simplicity and majesty of Christmas.

III. The Wise Men Gave Their Gifts as an Act of Worship.

Too often we give because we are obligated. But the wise men gave their gifts as an act of worship to a newborn king. Do we really know how to worship God? We have a wonderful opportunity on our Lord's birthday to pause and worship Him. We often sing, "Come and behold Him, born the King of Angels; O Come let us adore Him, O Come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord." But do we really worship Him?

These wise men gave their very best, gold, frankincense and myrrh. The best gift you can give to God to your family, and to your friends is yourself. Several years ago I was away from home and I called my grandmother and asked her what she wanted for Christmas. She replied, "You."

Give God you! Give your family you! Give your friends and associates you! Our gifts mean nothing if we withhold the best gift. Give a wise man's gift!

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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

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Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Worship 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Hickory Hills Worship Center
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Mid-week Services 7 p.m.

Montevallo First Baptist
Thomas Mansell, Pastor
Corner of Middle & Main St.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Programs 5:45 p.m.

Montevallo Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
Shelby at Alabama St., Montevallo
665-7360
Thomas A. Cheatham, Pastor
Church School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Presbyterian Student Center
41 Vine St., 665-9060

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church
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991-5488 or 991-6288
Mass, Sat. (Vigil) 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Mass 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.
Confession, Saturday 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.
Father Michael J. White, Pastor

Pelham First Assembly of God
Pastor: Stan Littleton
Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Family Night (Wednesday) 7 p.m.
663-6424 or 663-9064

Pelham United Methodist Church
Co. Rd. 52 and Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir & Youth Programs
Sunday 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
663-3309
David Wallace, Pastor

Ryan Baptist Church
Hwy 17, Between Maylene & Dogwood Community
Larry Harrison, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.
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Hwy 119, Alabaster
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.


St. Andrew's Episcopal
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665-1667
Holy Eucharist 10 a.m.
Sunday School 11 a.m.

Westwood Baptist Church
7th Ave. SW, Alabaster
664-0122
Sunday Worship 8:45 - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Sunday Bible Study & Church Training, 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:15 p.m.
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MORNING
8:00 17 SportsCenter
8:30 17 College Basketball: UCLA at Brigham Young
9:00 17 1211 MOVIE: 'Macon County Line'
10:30 17 ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
11:00 17 Professional Golf: 1984 Chrysler Team Invitational - Final Round from Boca Raton, FL.

AFTERNOON
1:00 17 1211 MOVIE: 'Mask of Fu Manchu'
3:30 17 1984 Davis Cup Finals: USA at Sweden - Doubles Match
4:00 17 NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championship from Los Angeles, CA.
5:30 17 Mazda SportsLook

EVENING
6:00 3 4 1421 Family Feud
5 101 Nightly Business Report
3 131 12 16 News
7 11 1211 CHiPs
8 17 SportsCenter
9 7 Here Come the Brides
4 1421 Name That Tune
5 101 Alpine Ski School
3 131 Wheel of Fortune
17 World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia
2 6 Entertainment Tonight
7 00 1211 Magnum, P.I.
5 101 MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
3 131 Cosby Show
11 1211 Dallas
7 7 Circus
12 16 Battle of the Network Stars
7:30 3 131 Family Ties
4 1421 Simon & Simon
5 101 Sneak Previews
3 131 12 16 News
7 11 1211 Raggedy Ann/Santa Caper
17 Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
8:30 5 101 Christmas on the River
3 131 Night Court
11 1211 Peace on Earth
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7:00 3 4 1421 Dukes of Hazzard
5 101 MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
3 131 Y
11 1211 Dallas
7 Little Match Girl
12 16 Benson (CC)
17 NFL Game of the Week
7 Christmas Carol
12 16 Webster (CC)
8:00 3 4 1421 Dallas (CC)
4 5 101 Washington Week/Review
5 101 Hunter
17 1211 Holiday Bowl College Football: Brigham Young vs. Michigan
17 College Football '84: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
7 700 Club
12 16 Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous
8:30 4 5 101 Wall Street Week
9:00 4 1421 Falcon Crest
5 101 Great Performances: Bach Christmas Oratorio
3 131 Hot Pursuit
12 16 Matt Houston (CC)
9:30 7 Jack Benny Show
4 1421 Rituals
10:00 3 131 12 16 News
7 Bill Cosby Show
10:30 3 4 1421 MOVIE: 'Kid With the 200 I.O.'
4 5 101 Tony Brown's Journal
11 1211 M*A*S*H
7 Best of Groucho
12 16 Benson
11:00 3 131 Barney Miller
7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Dracula's Daughter'
9 7 Burns & Allen
12 16 Puttin' on the Hits
11:30 3 131 Tonight Show
17 SportsCenter
7 Love That Bob
12 16 Solid Gold Christmas Special
12:00 17 Mazda SportsLook
7 11 Married Joan
12:30 17 1211 MOVIE: 'Murder Is a One-Act Play'
3 131 MOVIE: 'Wall of Noise'
7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Bonzo Goes To College'
17 PKA Full Contact Karate: Lightweight World Championship
7 Dobie Gillis
8:30 7 Bachelor Father
1:30 7 Blondie
2:00 7 Star Search
17 SportsCenter
7 700 Club
2:30 17 1984 NCAA Division I Soccer Championship from Seattle, WA
3:30 7 Ross Bagley
4:00 12 16 Monday Woman
11 1211 MOVIE: 'File of the Golden Goose'
17 Prog Cont'd
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7 11 1211 Cherry Bowl College Football: Army vs. Michigan State
17 Auto Racing '84: World Rally Championship
9 7 MOVIE: 'Thunder Over Arizona'
12:30 3 131 Quilting
1:00 3 131 MOVIE: 'Charlotte's Web'
4 1421 Pianist at Work
8 17 College Basketball: Northwestern at DePaul
1:30 4 5 101 Victory Garden
2:00 7 Call of the West
4 1421 CFA Football: Sun Bowl: Tennessee vs. Maryland
4 5 101 Advances In Health
7 MOVIE: 'Land of the Lawless'
11:00 1101 Matinee at the Bijou
12 16 Wembley Music Festival
3:00 3 131 SportsWorld Music Videos
7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Dynamo'
17 World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia
9 7 Wyatt Earp
3:30 7 Wagon Train
4:00 12 16 Wide World of Sports
5 101 MOVIE: 'Wild Strawberries'
5:30 3 131 SportsWorld
4 1421 Wall Street Journal Report
6:00 3 131 Percussion Noel
5 101 News
7 11 1211 Soul Train
8 17 NFL's Superstars
9 7 The Monroes
11:00 1101 CBS News
5 101 Cinema Showcase
3 131 NBC News
7 NFL Game of the Week
12 16 News

EVENING
6:00 3 4 1421 Championship Wrestling Bowl from San Diego, CA
5 101 Frugal Gourmet
3 131 Hee Haw
7 11 1211 Fame
8 17 SportsCenter
9 7 Laramie
12 16 Solid Gold
6:30 4 5 101 On the Money (CC)
7:00 7 Airwolf
12 16 Woodwright's Shop
3 131 Smurfs Christmas Special
7 11 1211 White Shadow
17 College Basketball: Dayton at South Florida
9 7 MOVIE: 'It's a Wonderful Life'
12 16 T.J. Hooker (CC)
7:30 4 5 101 A Taste of China
8 17 Double Trouble
8:00 4 1421 Mickey Spillane's Mike Hammer
5 101 Newton's Apple
3 131 Gimme A Break
7 11 1211 Santa Claus Is Coming to Town
12 16 Love Boat (CC)
8:30 4 5 101 This Old House (CC)
3 131 Spencer
9:00 4 5 101 Partners in Crime
7 11 1211 Lawrence Welk Christmas
17 World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
12 16 Finder of Lost Loves (CC)
9:30 7 Christmas Carol
10:00 4 1421 Tracks & Facts
5 101 Christmas in Vermont
3 131 12 16 News
7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Kiss Daddy Goodbye'
17 SportsCenter
7 David Putnam Outdoors
10:30 3 131 Saturday Night Live
7 Larry Jones Ministry
12 16 MOVIE: 'The Turning Point'
11:00 3 4 1421 New York Hot Tracks
17 College Football '84: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
7 Ministry Special
11:30 7 Int'l Prison Ministry
12:00 3 131 Friday Night Videos
7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Getting Wasted'
7 Who Will Hear Their Cry?
12:30 4 1421 MOVIE: 'Medusa Touch'
12:45 12 16 Championship Wrestling
1:00 7 Zola Levitt
1:30 3 131 News
7 Jewish Voice
1:45 12 16 Solid Gold
2:00 7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'Cynthia'
17 SportsCenter
7 Best of 700 Club
2:45 12 16 Prog Cont'd
3:00 7 College Basketball: Northwestern at DePaul
3:15 12 16 MOVIE: 'Let's Live a Little'
3:30 7 Heritage Singers
4:00 7 11 1211 MOVIE: 'The Outside Man'
7 Westbrook Hospital
4:30 7 Newsight '84

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AFTERNOON
12:30 17 SCCA Budweiser Trans-Am
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3:30 17 PKA Full Contact Karate: Lightweight World Championship
5:00 17 ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
5:30 17 Mazda SportsLook
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6:00 3 4 1421 Family Feud
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THURSDAY 12/20/84

MORNING

- 8:00 (1) SportsCenter
(2) College Basketball: UCLA at Brigham Young
9:00 (1) [21] MOVIE: 'Macon County Line'
(2) ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
10:30 (1) Professional Golf: 1984 Chrysler Team Invitational - Final Round from Boca Raton, FL

AFTERNOON

- 1:00 (1) [21] MOVIE: 'Mask of Fu Manchu'
(2) 1984 Davis Cup Finals: USA at Sweden - Doubles Match
3:30 (1) Pistol Tournament
(2) NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championship from Los Angeles, CA
5:30 (1) Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

- 6:00 (1) [42] Family Feud
(2) [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] [2] [6] News
(4) [21] CHIPS
(5) SportsCenter
(6) Here Come the Brides
(7) [10] Alpine Ski School
(8) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(9) World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia
(10) [2] Entertainment Tonight
(11) [42] Magnum, P.I.
(12) [5] [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(13) [13] Cosby Show
(14) [21] Dallas
(15) Circus
(16) [2] Battle of the Network Stars
(17) [13] Family Ties
(18) [42] Simon & Simon
(19) [10] Sneak Previews
(20) [13] Cheers
(21) [21] Raggedy Ann/Santa Caper
(22) Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
(23) [7] 700 Club
(24) [5] [10] Christmas on the River
(25) [13] Night Court
(26) [21] Peace on Earth
(27) [42] Knot's Landing (CC)
(28) [5] [10] Bluegrass Block
(29) [13] Hill Street Blues
(30) [2] [20] [20] (CC)
(31) [21] Sing We Noel
(32) Conversation w/Fred Lewis
(33) [42] Rituals
(34) [5] [10] Great Performances
(35) [13] [2] [6] News
(36) [21] That's Incredible
(37) Bill Cosby Show
(38) [13] M*A*S*H
(39) [21] Sanford and Son
(40) SportsCenter
(41) Best of Groucho
(42) [6] Benson
(43) [42] MOVIE: 'Diary of a Teenage Boy'
(44) [13] Barney Miller
(45) [21] MOVIE: 'Hangover Square'
(46) Mazda SportsLook
(47) Burns & Allen
(48) [6] Starksy & Hutch
(49) [13] Tonight Show
(50) Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
(51) Love That Bob
(52) [7] Married Joan
(53) [6] Police Woman
(54) [13] Late Night with David Letterman
(55) [21] MOVIE: 'Kidnapped'
(56) Dobie Gillis
(57) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(58) Bachelor Father
(59) [6] MOVIE: 'Under the Yum Yum Tree'
(60) [13] Carol Burnett
(61) [7] Blondie
(62) [13] News
(63) SportsCenter
(64) [7] 700 Club
(65) NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championship from Los Angeles, CA
(66) [7] Ross Bagley
(67) Tom York's Morning Show
(68) Quarterhorse Racing: 1984 Champion of Champions
(69) [7] Another Life
(70) [2] [6] Jimmy Swaggart

FRIDAY 12/21/84

MORNING

- 8:00 (1) SportsCenter
(2) Unlimited Hydroplane Racing
(3) [21] MOVIE: 'Stowaway to the Moon'
(4) World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia
(5) [17] 1983 Masters of Aerobatics
(6) [17] Third Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars

AFTERNOON

- 12:30 (1) SCCA Budweiser Trans-Am
(2) [21] MOVIE: 'Pennies From Heaven'
(3) [17] 1984 Davis Cup Finals: USA at Sweden - Best Singles Match C or D
(4) [17] PKA Full Contact Karate: Lightweight World Championship
(5) ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
(6) Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

- 6:00 (1) [42] Family Feud
(2) [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] [2] [6] News
(4) [21] CHIPS
(5) SportsCenter
(6) Here Come the Brides
(7) [42] Name That Tune
(8) [10] For the Record
(9) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(10) Third Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars
(11) [2] Entertainment Tonight

THURSDAY 12/20/84

- 7:00 (1) [42] Dukes of Hazzard
(2) [5] [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(3) [13] V
(4) [21] Dallas
(5) Little Match Girl
(6) [6] Benson (CC)
(7) NFL Game of the Week
(8) Christmas Carol
(9) [6] Webster (CC)
(10) [42] Dallas (CC)
(11) [5] [10] Washington Week/Review
(12) [13] Hunter
(13) [21] Holiday Bowl College Football: Brigham Young vs. Michigan
(14) College Football '84: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
(15) [7] 700 Club
(16) [6] Lives of the Rich and Famous
(17) [10] Wall Street Week
(18) [42] Falcon Crest
(19) [5] [10] Great Performances: Bach Christmas Oratorio
(20) [13] Hot Pursuit
(21) [6] Matt Houston (CC)
(22) [7] Jack Benny Show
(23) [42] Rituals
(24) [13] [2] [6] News
(25) Bill Cosby Show
(26) [42] MOVIE: 'Kid With the 200 Lbs. Weight'
(27) [5] [10] Tony Brown's Journal
(28) [13] M*A*S*H
(29) Best of Groucho
(30) [6] Benson
(31) [13] Barney Miller
(32) [21] MOVIE: 'Dracula's Daughter'
(33) Burns & Allen
(34) [6] Puttin' on the Hits
(35) [13] Tonight Show
(36) SportsCenter
(37) Love That Bob
(38) [6] Solid Gold Christmas Special
(39) Mazda SportsLook
(40) [7] Married Joan
(41) [42] MOVIE: 'Murder is a One-Act Play'
(42) [13] [2] [6] News
(43) [21] MOVIE: 'Wall of Noise'
(44) [21] MOVIE: 'Bonzo Goes To College'
(45) PKA Full Contact Karate: Lightweight World Championship
(46) Dobie Gillis
(47) Bachelor Father
(48) [7] Blondie
(49) [2] [6] Star Search
(50) [21] MOVIE: 'East of Sumatra'
(51) SportsCenter
(52) [7] 700 Club
(53) [13] News
(54) 1984 NCAA Division I Soccer Championship from Seattle, WA
(55) [2] Entertainment Tonight
(56) [6] Wonder Woman
(57) [21] MOVIE: 'File of the Golden Goose'
(58) [7] Prog Cont'd
(59) Mazda SportsLook
(60) [2] [6] Insight

SATURDAY 12/22/84

MORNING

- 5:00 (1) [21] Movie Cont'd
(2) NCAA Division I Women's Volleyball Championship from Los Angeles, CA
(3) [7] Blackwood Brothers
(4) [2] [6] Changed Lives
(5) [7] Newsight '84
(6) [2] [6] Better Way
(7) [13] New Zoo Revue
(8) [21] CNN Headline News
(9) Jewish Voice
(10) [42] Muppet Show
(11) [13] Farm and Home Show
(12) [21] Space Kiddies
(13) ESPN's Horse Racing Weekly
(14) Zola Levitt
(15) [6] Profile
(16) [42] Shirt Tales
(17) [13] Kidsworld 13
(18) [21] Valley of the Dinosaurs
(19) NFL Game of the Week
(20) Robert Schuller's Hour of Power
(21) [6] Superfriends
(22) [42] Get Along Gang
(23) [13] Pink Panther and Sons
(24) [21] Leave It to Beaver
(25) SportsCenter
(26) [6] Superfriends
(27) [42] Muppet Babies
(28) [13] Smurfs
(29) [21] NFL Pro Magazine
(30) Business Times on ESPN
(31) James Robinson
(32) [6] Mighty Orbits
(33) [42] Dungeons and Dragons
(34) [21] MD-TV
(35) Lesson
(36) Turbo Teen
(37) [42] Pole Position
(38) [21] Champion of Sports
(39) 1984 NCAA Division I Soccer Championship from Seattle, WA
(40) [7] Cisco Kid
(41) [6] Dragon's Lair
(42) [42] Saturday Supercade
(43) [13] Alvin & the Chipmunks
(44) [7] MOVIE: 'Escape from Red Rock'
(45) [2] [6] New Scooby Doo Mysteries
(46) [13] Kidd Video
(47) [21] MOVIE: 'A Cry In The Wilderness'
(48) [6] Scary Scooby Funnies
(49) [13] Mr. T
(50) [42] Laredo
(51) [6] Amazing Spiderman & Incredible Hulk
(52) SportsCenter Plus
(53) [7] Laredo
(54) [6] ABC Weekend Special (CC)
(55) [42] Gene Bartow Show
(56) [13] Kidsworld 13
(57) [21] Kodak All-American Team
(58) [7] Scotch Sports Preview
(59) [2] [6] American Bandstand

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [42] NCAA Basketball: UCLA at St. Johns

- (1) [21] Cherry Bowl College Football: Army vs. Michigan State
(2) Auto Racing '84: World Rally Championship
(3) [7] MOVIE: 'Thunder Over Arizona'
(4) [5] [10] Quilting
(5) [6] MOVIE: 'Charlotte's Web'
(6) [5] [10] Pianist at Work
(7) College Basketball: Northwestern at DePaul
(8) [5] [10] Victory Garden
(9) [7] Call of the West
(10) [42] CFA Football: Sun Bowl: Tennessee vs. Maryland
(11) [5] [10] Advances In Health
(12) MOVIE: 'Land of the Lawless'
(13) [5] [10] Matinee at the Bijou
(14) [6] Wembley Music Festival
(15) [13] SportsWorld Music Videos
(16) [21] MOVIE: 'Dynamo'
(17) World Cup Skiing: Men's Giant Slalom from Kranjska Gora, Yugoslavia
(18) Wyatt Earp
(19) [7] Wagon Train
(20) [2] [6] Wide World of Sports
(21) [5] [10] MOVIE: 'Wild Strawberries'
(22) [13] SportsWorld
(23) [42] Wall Street Journal Report
(24) [5] [10] Percussion Noel
(25) [13] News
(26) [21] Soul Train
(27) NFL's Superstars
(28) [7] The Monroes
(29) [42] CBS News
(30) [5] [10] Cinema Showcase
(31) [13] NBC News
(32) NFL Game of the Week
(33) [2] [6] News

EVENING

- 6:00 (1) [42] Championship Wrestling
(2) [5] [10] Frugal Gourmet
(3) [13] A Taste of China
(4) [21] Fame
(5) SportsCenter
(6) Laramie
(7) [6] Solid Gold
(8) [5] [10] On the Money (CC)
(9) [42] Airwolf
(10) [5] [10] Woodwright's Shop
(11) [13] Smurfs Christ mas Special
(12) [21] White Shadow
(13) College Basketball: Dayton at South Florida
(14) MOVIE: 'It's a Wonderful Life'
(15) [6] T.J. Hooker (CC)
(16) [13] Spencer
(17) [13] Double Trouble
(18) [42] Mickey Spillane's Mike Hammer
(19) [5] [10] Newton's Apple
(20) [13] Gimme Shelter
(21) [21] Santa Claus Is Coming to Town
(22) [6] Love Boat (CC)
(23) [5] [10] This Old House (CC)
(24) [6] Mystery! (CC)
(25) [13] Partners in Crime
(26) [21] Lawrence Welk Christmas
(27) World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
(28) [2] [6] Finder of Lost Loves (CC)
(29) [7] Christmas Carol
(30) [21] Christmas in Vermont
(31) [42] Tracks & Facts
(32) [6] Christmas in Vermont
(33) [13] [2] [6] News
(34) [21] MOVIE: 'Kiss Daddy Goodbye'
(35) SportsCenter
(36) David Polgan Outdoors
(37) [13] Saturday Night Live
(38) John Ankerberg
(39) [6] MOVIE: 'The Turning Point'
(40) [42] New York Hot Tracks
(41) College Football '84: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
(42) [7] Ministry Special
(43) [21] Prison Ministry
(44) [13] Friday Night Videos
(45) [21] MOVIE: 'Getting Wasted'
(46) [7] Who Will Hear Their Cry?
(47) [2] [6] Championship Wrestling
(48) Zola Levitt
(49) [13] News
(50) [7] Jewish Voice
(51) [6] Solid Gold
(52) [21] MOVIE: 'Cynthia'
(53) [13] [2] [6] News
(54) [6] Prog Cont'd
(55) [2] [6] Puttin' on the Hits
(56) [21] MOVIE: 'The Outside Man'
(57) Westbrook Hospital
(58) [7] Newsight '84

SUNDAY 12/23/84

MORNING

- 5:00 (1) College Basketball: Dayton at South Florida
(2) [2] [6] This is the Life
(3) [13] Sunday Report
(4) [7] Larry Jones Ministry
(5) [2] [6] Religion in the News
(6) [13] [2] [6] News
(7) [21] CNN Headline News
(8) [7] Jimmy Swaggart
(9) [6] Expect a Miracle
(10) [42] It's Your Business
(11) [13] Meet the Ministers
(12) [21] Birmingham Now
(13) [6] Phil Armstrong
(14) [42] Phil Armstrong
(15) [13] His Word
(16) [21] Living Word
(17) College Football '84: Holiday Bowl from San Diego, CA
(18) Dr. D. James Kennedy
(19) [2] [6] Changed Lives
(20) [42] Strength Today
(21) [13] Baptist Church
(22) [21] James Robinson
(23) [6] E.J. Daniels
(24) [42] Sunday Morning
(25) [13] Catholic Mass
(26) [21] Hour of Power
(27) Kenneth Copeland
(28) [6] Assembly of God
(29) [13] Methodist Church
(30) [6] Rex Humbard
(31) [13] MOVIE: 'The Late Show'
(32) [21] Expect a Miracle
(33) Lloyd Ogilvie
(34) [2] [6] Jimmy Swaggart
(35) [42] Face the Nation
(36) [21] Day of Discovery
(37) Davey & Goliath
(38) [42] Wall Street Journal
(39) [21] MOVIE: 'It Ain't Hay'
(40) [7] Business Times on ESPN
(41) Superbook Club
(42) [6] Kenneth Copeland
(43) [42] World Tomorrow
(44) [2] [6] Baptist Church
(45) [7] Ben Casey
(46) SportsCenter Plus
(47) Honey, Honey
(48) [6] Dr. D. James Kennedy
(49) [13] NFL '84
(50) [21] MOVIE: 'Baby Takes a Bow'
(51) NFL Game of the Week
(52) Leo the Lion

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [42] NFC Wild Card Playoff Game/or Local Programming

- (1) Flipper
(2) [6] This Week with David Brinkley
(3) [7] Gentle Ben
(4) [21] MOVIE: 'The Seven Year Itch'
(5) [7] MOVIE: 'Timberjack'
(6) [6] MOVIE: 'Yogi's First Christmas'
(7) [17] Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV
(8) [5] [10] Six-Gun Heroes
(9) [42] NFC Wild Card Playoff Game/or Local Programming
(10) [5] [10] Firing Line
(11) [21] Tony Randall
(12) [21] MOVIE: 'Titanic'
(13) [6] Wagon Train
(14) [2] [6] Stubby Pringle's Christmas
(15) [13] Pop! Goes the Country
(16) [5] [10] Christmas Song
(17) [13] Music City, U.S.A.
(18) MOVIE: 'Eyes of Texas'
(19) [6] MOVIE: 'Gift of Song'
(20) [13] Nashville Music
(21) [13] Winter Olympiad
(22) [13] Sunday Report
(23) [21] Bionic Woman
(24) World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
(25) Christmas Fantasy
(26) [6] ABC News (CC)
(27) [5] [10] Adam Smith's Money
(28) [13] NBC News
(29) [2] [6] News

EVENING

- 6:00 (1) [42] 60 Minutes
(2) [5] [10] Working Women
(3) [13] News
(4) [21] Star Trek
(5) SportsCenter
(6) Star Spangled Evening
(7) [6] Star Search Proclaims
(8) [10] Do-It-Yourself Show
(9) [13] Country
(10) Bill Cosby Show
(11) [42] Murder, She Wrote
(12) [5] [10] Auspice John M.D.
(13) [13] MOVIE: The Sound of Music
(14) [21] All-Star Wrestling
(15) NFL's Greatest Moments: Playbook '84
(16) Eighth Day
(17) MOVIE: 'Superman'
(18) [42] Jeffersons (CC)
(19) [5] [10] Nature (CC)
(20) [21] Christmas Tree Train
(21) Super Bouts of the 70's
(22) In Touch
(23) [42] Alice (CC)
(24) [21] MOVIE: 'Littles Angel'
(25) [13] Gimme Shelter
(26) [5] [10] Masterpiece Theatre (CC)
(27) Super Bouts of the 70's
(28) [2] [6] Changed Lives
(29) [7] Rock Church Proclaims
(30) [42] Beverly Hillsbillies
(31) [5] [10] A Day in the Life of Hawaii
(32) [13] [2] [6] News
(33) NFL's Greatest Moments
(34) [7] Stableboy's Christmas
(35) [2] [6] Entertainment Tonight
(36) [42] Scarecrow and Mrs. King
(37) [5] [10] MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour
(38) [13] TV's Bloopers & Practical Jokes
(39) [21] A Child is Born
(40) [17] 1984 High School Cheerleading Championships
(41) Lawrence Welk Christmas
(42) [6] MOVIE: 'Startlight: The Plane That Couldn't Land'
(43) [21] Christmas Carol
(44) [5] [10] Kate & Allie
(45) [5] [10] Wonderworks (CC)
(46) [13] [2] [6] News
(47) [21] MOVIE: 'Wedding on Walton's Mountain'
(48) [21] MOVIE: 'Pennies From Heaven'
(49) [7] 1984 Bud Light U.S. Triathlon Series
(50) [7] MOVIE: 'The Bells of St. Mary's'
(51) [42] Newhart
(52) [42] Cagney and Lacey
(53) [5] [10] American Playhouse (CC)
(54) Scotch Sports Special: Sportspage '84
(55) [42] Rituals
(56) [13] [2] [6] News
(57) [21] That's Incredible
(58) [42] Blessing of the Creche
(59) [13] Christmas with Friends
(60) [21] Sanford and Son
(61) SportsCenter
(62) Best of Groucho
(63) [6] Morning Sun
(64) [42] Christmas Eve Service
(65) [13] Christmas-Rome 1984
(66) [21] Christmas World
(67) Mazda SportsLook
(68) Houston Xmas Pagent-The Light
(69) NFL's Greatest Moments: Best-Ever Coaches
(70) [6] MOVIE: 'Here Comes Mr. Jordan'
(71) Bells of Bethlehem
(72) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(73) [21] MOVIE: 'Come to the Stable'
(74) [7] Bells of Bethlehem

WEEKDAYS

MORNING

- 5:00 (1) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(2) Business Times on ESPN
(3) A Study in the Word
(4) [6] Country Boy Eddie
(5) [13] News
(6) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(7) [42] CBS Morning News
(8) [13] Today
(9) [21] CNN Headline News
(10) Superbook
(11) [21] Great Space Coaster
(12) Flying House
(13) [6] ABC News This Morning
(14) [2] [6] News
(15) [21] Mighty Mouse
(16) [7] Cartoons
(17) [6] Good Morning America
(18) [21] Flintstones
(19) [7] Feeling Great
(20) [42] 700 Club
(21) [13] Hour Magazine
(22) [21] My Favorite Martian
(23) SportsCenter
(24) Dobie Gillis
(25) [6] Donahue
(26) [21] Brady Bunch
(27) Varied Programs
(28) Bachelor Father
(29) [42] New \$25,000 Pyramid
(30) [13] Divorce Court
(31) [21] Movie
(32) [7] 700 Club
(33) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
(34) [42] Press Your Luck
(35) [13] Tattletales
(36) [42] Price Is Right
(37) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(38) [6] All My Children
(39) [13] Scramble
(40) [7] Another Life
(41) [42] Young and the Restless
(42) [13] News
(43) [21] Perry Mason
(44) Varied Programs
(45) Ben Casey
(46) [6] Boone, USA
(47) [6] Laverne and Shirley
(48) [13] Search For Tomorrow
(49) [2] [6] Ryan's Hope

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [42] Beverly Hillsbillies
(2) [13] Days of Our Lives
(3) [21] Medical Center
(4) Ben Casey
(5) [2] [6] News
(6) [42] As the World Turns
(7) [6] Jeopardy
(8) [13] Another World
(9) [21] Movie
(10) Varied Programs
(11) [6] One Life to Live
(12) [42] Capitol
(13) Married Joan
(14) Guiding Light
(15) [13] Santa Barbara
(16) [7] 700 Club

- (1) [21] Woody Woodpecker
(2) Block Busters
(3) [6] Edge of Night
(4) [42] Love Connection
(5) [13] Three's Company
(6) [21] Popeye
(7) Face the Music
(8) [6] Different Strokes
(9) [42] Let's Make a Deal
(10) [5] [10] Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
(11) [13] Alice
(12) [21] Scooby Doo
(13) Tic Tac Dough
(14) [6] Dukes of Hazzard
(15) [42] People's Court
(16) [5] [10] Varied Programs
(17) [13] Jeffersons
(18) [21] He-Man & Masters/Universe
(19) Card Sharks
(20) [42] Tic Tac Dough
(21) [10] 3-2-1, Contact (CC)
(22) [13] [2] [6] News
(23) [21] Eight Is Enough
(24) Varied Programs
(25) Hot Potato
(26) [42] CBS News
(27) [5] [10] Why In the World
(28) [13] NBC News
(29) Rifleman
(30) [2] [6] ABC News (CC)

MONDAY 12/24/84

MORNING

- 8:00 (1) SportsCenter
(2) [21] MOVIE: 'The Borrowers'
(3) World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
(4) [2] Boxing Special: 1984 - A Year of Change
(5) [7] Unlimited Hydroplane Racing: World Championship

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [17] 1984 High School Cheerleading Championships
(2) [21] MOVIE: 'Huckleberry Finn Escapes'
(3) Auto Racing '84: World Endurance
(4) [7] World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
(5) [7] College Basketball: Northwestern at DePaul
(6) [7] Scotch Sports Preview
(7) Mazda SportsLook

EVENING

- 6:00 (1) [42] Family Feud
(2) [5] [10] Nightly Business Report
(3) [13] [2] [6] News
(4) [21] Blood and Fire: The Salvation Army
(5) SportsCenter
(6) Snowman
(7) [42] Name That Tune
(8) [5] [10] Your Children Our Children
(9) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(10) NFL's Greatest Moments
(11) Stableboy's Christmas
(12) [2] [6] Entertainment Tonight
(13) [42] Scarecrow and Mrs. King
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(19) [6] MOVIE: 'Startlight: The Plane That Couldn't Land'
(20) [21] Christmas Carol
(21) [5] [10] Kate & Allie
(22) [5] [10] Wonderworks (CC)
(23) [13] [2] [6] News
(24) [21] MOVIE: 'Wedding on Walton's Mountain'
(25) [21] MOVIE: 'Pennies From Heaven'
(26) [7] 1984 Bud Light U.S. Triathlon Series
(27) MOVIE: 'The Bells of St. Mary's'
(28) [42] Newhart
(29) [42] Cagney and Lacey
(30) [5] [10] American Playhouse (CC)
(31) Scotch Sports Special: Sportspage '84
(32) [42] Rituals
(33) [13] [2] [6] News
(34) [21] That's Incredible
(35) [42] Blessing of the Creche
(36) [13] Christmas with Friends
(37) [21] Sanford and Son
(38) SportsCenter
(39) Best of Groucho
(40) [6] Morning Sun
(41) [42] Christmas Eve Service
(42) [13] Christmas-Rome 1984
(43) [21] Christmas World
(44) Mazda SportsLook
(45) Houston Xmas Pagent-The Light
(46) NFL's Greatest Moments: Best-Ever Coaches
(47) [6] MOVIE: 'Here Comes Mr. Jordan'
(48) Bells of Bethlehem
(49) [42] CBS News Nightwatch
(50) [21] MOVIE: 'Come to the Stable'
(51) [7] Bells of Bethlehem

TUESDAY 12/25/84

MORNING

- 5:00 (1) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(2) Business Times on ESPN
(3) A Study in the Word
(4) [6] Country Boy Eddie
(5) [13] News
(6) [42] CBS Early Morning News
(7) [42] CBS Morning News
(8) [13] Today
(9) [21] CNN Headline News
(10) Superbook
(11) [21] Great Space Coaster
(12) Flying House
(13) [6] ABC News This Morning
(14) [2] [6] News
(15) [21] Mighty Mouse
(16) [7] Cartoons
(17) [6] Good Morning America
(18) [21] Flintstones
(19) [7] Feeling Great
(20) [42] 700 Club
(21) [13] Hour Magazine
(22) [21] My Favorite Martian
(23) SportsCenter
(24) Dobie Gillis
(25) [6] Donahue
(26) [21] Brady Bunch
(27) Varied Programs
(28) Bachelor Father
(29) [42] New \$25,000 Pyramid
(30) [13] Divorce Court
(31) [21] Movie
(32) [7] 700 Club
(33) [6] Tom York's Morning Show
(34) [42] Press Your Luck
(35) [13] Tattletales
(36) [42] Price Is Right
(37) [13] Wheel of Fortune
(38) [6] All My Children
(39) [13] Scramble
(40) [7] Another Life
(41) [42] Young and the Restless
(42) [13] News
(43) [21] Perry Mason
(44) Varied Programs
(45) Ben Casey
(46) [6] Boone, USA
(47) [6] Laverne and Shirley
(48) [13] Search For Tomorrow
(49) [2] [6] Ryan's Hope

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [42] Beverly Hillsbillies
(2) [13] Days of Our Lives
(3) [21] Medical Center
(4) Ben Casey
(5) [2] [6] News
(6) [42] As the World Turns
(7) [6] Jeopardy
(8) [13] Another World
(9) [21] Movie
(10) Varied Programs
(11) [6] One Life to Live
(12) [42] Capitol
(13) Married Joan
(14) Guiding Light
(15) [13] Santa Barbara
(16) [7] 700 Club

- 11:30 (1) [42] Blue-Gray All-Star Football Classic
(2) [13] Search For Tomorrow
(3) [2] [6] Ryan's Hope
(4) [21] Popeye
(5) [6] Edge of Night
(6) [42] Love Connection
(7) [13] Three's Company
(8) [21] Popeye
(9) Face the Music
(10) [6] Different Strokes
(11) [42] Let's Make a Deal
(12) [5] [10] Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood
(13) [13] Alice
(14) [21] Scooby Doo
(15) Tic Tac Dough
(16) [6] Dukes of Hazzard
(17) [42] People's Court
(18) [5] [10] Varied Programs
(19) [13] Jeffersons
(20) [21] He-Man & Masters/Universe
(21) Card Sharks
(22) [42] Tic Tac Dough
(23) [10] 3-2-1, Contact (CC)
(24) [13] [2] [6] News
(25) [21] Eight Is Enough
(26) Varied Programs
(27) Hot Potato
(28) [42] CBS News
(29) [5] [10] Why In the World
(30) [13] NBC News
(31) Rifleman
(32) [2] [6] ABC News (CC)

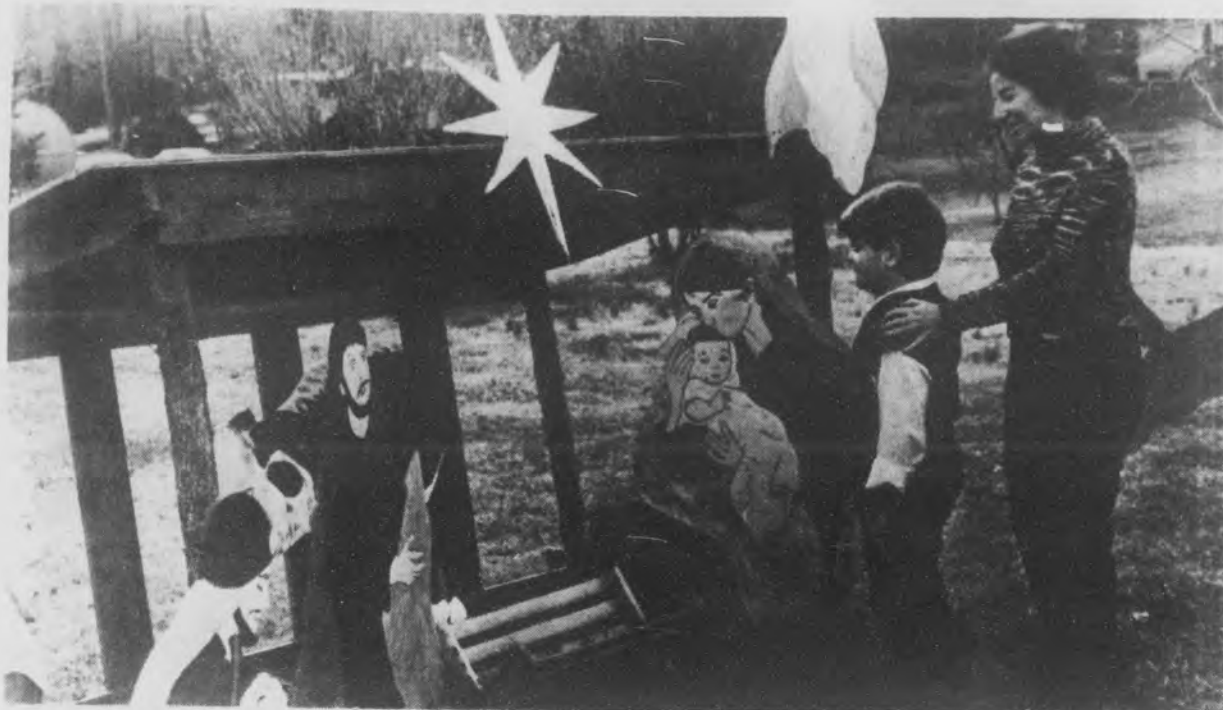
MONDAY 12/24/84

MORNING

- 8:00 (1) SportsCenter
(2) [21] MOVIE: 'The Borrowers'
(3) World Cup Skiing: Women's Downhill
(4) [2] Boxing Special: 1984 - A Year of Change
(5) [7] Unlimited Hydroplane Racing: World Championship

AFTERNOON

- 12:00 (1) [17] 1984 High School Cheerleading Championships
(2) [21] MOVIE: 'Huckleberry Finn Escapes'
(3) Auto Racing '84



Pea Ridge Nativities

Travelers along Highway 10 in Pea Ridge are enjoying a little extra Christmas cheer this holiday season, thanks to the efforts of area resident Betty Smitherman. Here, she shows a young visitor part of the nativity scene she built and painted. The

scene is the latest in a growing cast of Christmas characters that Smitherman has created. Santa's Toy Shop, reindeers, and candy canes are all points of interest on the highway as well. (photo by K.A. Turner)

Dear Santa...

'Do you have labor problems?'

Dear Santa,

This year I only want a few things. I want a Speak & Math, Got'cha, Lurky, Rainbow Brite, a 10-speed, a Soccer Croquet, a typewriter, a Signet Ring, and a cross-necklace.

Your friend,
Susan McDaniel

Dear Santa,

I want to tell you what I want for Christmas. First of all I want you to bring a stereo and Cabbage patch kid.

Love,
Andrea Grill

Dear Santa,

I have tried to be a good boy this year. If you can, please bring me a G.I. Joe command center and maybe a Cobra jeep too! I like the new transformers and could use a new football. I hope you and Mrs. Clouse have a nice Christmas also.

Love,
Josh McCutchen

Dear Santa,

Is it true you have had labor

problems? Well let's not talk about that let's get down to business - like toys! I want Megatron, scout knife, Ewok village.

Your friend,
Mark Brannen

Dear Santa,

I want a set of junior weights, and five atari cartridges, and a solar calculator. Don't worry I'll leave you something to eat.

Your friend
Matt Hughtston

Dear Santa,

Would you please bring me a bike, a digital watch, and an electric blanket for Christmas? Also I would like some surprises in my stocking. And Santa don't forget those children that don't have as much as I do.

Your good friend
Patrick Flynn

Dear Santa,

These are the things I would like, a electric train, bow and arrow, B B gun, earphones, gobots or transformers and a hardy boy book.

Tell all your raindeer to get in shape for the big ride. I hope Rudolph will be able to come.

Your friend,
Benjie Coulter

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. I help my mom and dad, and I play with my brother. For Christmas I would like two stuffed animals for my collection. I also want a watch and a few games. But most of all for Christmas, I would like for everyone to be happy!

Love,
Shana Smith
(your believer)

Dear Santa,

I've been wanting some Char-mkins and a Poochie set and a nice healthy family for Christmas.

I would like my brother to get enough money to pay his car insurance. Also I would like my Mom to get what ever she wants and my dad to get what ever he wants.

Your friend,
Gretchen Campbell

'I want microwave'

Dear Santa,

I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a TV., stereo, Cabbage Patch Kid and clothes. That is all I want for Christmas. Thank you.

Your friend
Julissa Vallejo

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. For Christmas I would like a T.V. radio, giant dart board, dog, and my own carrot garden. I'll leave some milk and cookies for you!

Your friend,
Grant S.

Dear Santa,

Would you bring me alot of things? Don't though! I love you alot. I wish I could see you! But I do have to go to bed. Some day maybe I will see you! You are very nice to give kids all this stuff! I am very lucky to get what I do! I love you.

Your friend,
Kristal Lawley

Dear Santa,

I hope I have been a good girl this year. If I have I would like a microwave oven that really cooks. And a poochie stamper with three stamps, I would like a my little pony tote bag that comes with a umbrella some dishes for my stove and refrigerator, some cloths to I Love you Santa, a Care bear purse too!

Your friend
Shannon Bullard

Dear Santa,

Could you bring me these gobot please? I want Cykill, Lider 1, Scooter, turbo and gobot head-kerders. That's all the gobots I want. I want some transformers. I would lik Prime, Megatron, Sound Wavz and od. Than you for those. O by the way. I want the Knight rider impossible set.

Your friend
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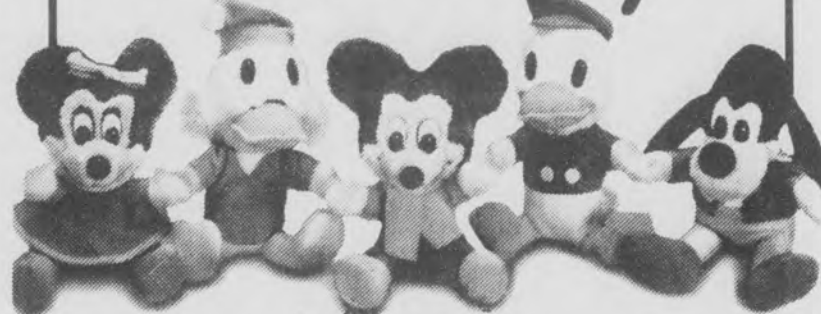
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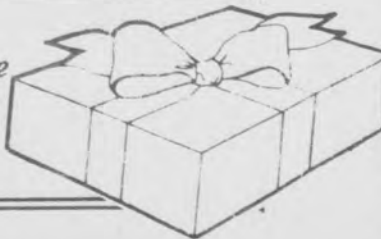
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County youngsters have birthdays

Misty Ann, daughter of Kevin and Rebecca Brasher of Chelsea, celebrated her fifth birthday on Dec. 11.

She celebrated her birthday at home with her brothers, Kevin and Wesley, and other family members.

Misty is the granddaughter of Marvin and Joyce Brasher of Chelsea; and Bethel and Martha Robershaw of Sterrett.

Eddie Higgins celebrated his 4th birthday on Dec. 11 with a party hosted by his parents Ed and Becky Higgins and his two

year old sister, Rebecca.

Guests included: grandparents, Doris Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. Brad Morris.

Eddie is the grandson of Henry Higgins of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Pickett of Montevallo. Also, he is the great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Beane of Montevallo.

Attention Readers: The Reporter has adopted a new policy concerning birthdays. We will accept birthday pictures with announcements, at no charge, up to age three.



EDDIE BLEVINS
... three years old

Eddie Blevins celebrated his third birthday on Dec. 18.

He is the son of Ed and Darlene Blevins of Wilsonville.

Grandparents of the birthday boy are Tommy and Judy McDonald of Wilsonville; and Joyce Blevins of Vincent.



JOBIE DANIEL LUCAS
... one year old

Jobie Daniel Lucas of Maylene will celebrate his first birthday on Dec. 30.

He will celebrate at his home in Maylene with his mother, Tammy Lucas; his grandparents, Dora and Sidney Lucas; and other relatives.

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Jolly Rovers celebrate

Recently the Jolly Rovers enjoyed their Christmas dinner.

Billy and Mabel Herring sang Christmas carols and told jokes; Eason Mitchell played the piano; Wayne Crumpton, pastor, and Keith Symser also told jokes.

The next meeting of the Jolly Rovers will be January 14 at 10:30 in the First Baptist Church of Alabasters fellowship hall.

"Senior adults from age 50 and

up are welcome to attend," said Daisy Conrad.



LEROY & JEWEL TAYLOR
... celebrate 50th

Taylors celebrate 50th

Leroy and Jewel Taylor of Chelsea will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, Dec. 30 from 2 p.m. til 4 p.m.

This party will be given by their children and grandchildren and they request the pleasure of your company.

The party will be held at the Liberty Baptist Church in the Fellowship Hall (Chelsea).

Dear Santa...

Dear Santa,

I would like a ten-speed, and a cabbage patch kid, Thumbelena and I think that is all I want this year. You have nice Christmas and tell Rudolph that we will have some raisins for him, and cookies for you.

Your friend,
Jodi Olcott

Dear Santa,

All I want for Christmas is a Kodak camera, VCR, 300zx, Porsche 980, Corvette, LTD, my cat to hurry up and have babies, some breakdance lessons, to be a pro football player like Bo Jackson. Also I want a sail boat. I want a chemistry set, and about 7 transformers.

Your friend
Rusty Thorn

Dear Santa,

This is what I want I would like some gobots, a football, supercliff hanger, a bike, transformers, I would like Jazz, candy, clothes a jambox, three wheeler, pelet gun, a desk and a baby brother,

Your friend
Brian Marcus

Dear Santa Claus,

I would like somethings for my desk you gave me last year. I also would like some care bears, and some smurfs, rainbow brite, and a microwave that really cooks.

Thank you
Robin Nacole Gates



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'Bring basketball, gobots and gizmo'

Dear Santa,
I wonder if you could bring me some gobots, a cat, skates, a basketball and gizmo

your friend
J.T. Jones

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie playhouse, some wicker furniture for the house. I would like Makeit and Bakeit oven, cloths for my cabbage patch kids, and some toys for my pets.
Merry Christmas Stanta with love
From your friend
Brooke Boutwell

And if you could make some He man stuff I would like to have some He man stuff. I would like some toys for my cat and tell your elfs to work hard.

Your friend,
Keith Allred

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like two tapes, they are Huey Lewis and The News, and Steve Perry. Also I wouls love an Electic Football game! I wouls like a Falcons sweatshirt. Please remember to give gifts to my family also!
Bye!

Your friend
Eric Smith

Dear Santa,
I would like a make it bake it oven, A loving you Barbie. Will you please bring my brother the Ateam race track. We have been very good. And we made wreaths and other decorations. We love you very much. Thanks for everything Santa. And tell Mrs. Santa that I said hi.

Your friends
Amanda and Robert Cambron

Dear Santa,
Would you bring me a Rainbow Brite doll, Gizmo, and a Cabbage patch kid a Care bear, and an ewok, and a stocking full of candy.

Yours truly
April Martin

Dear Santa,
I would like you to get a dotty dog, a gremlin, a cabbage patch kid, a crystal barbie doll, and a camera.

Merry Christmas
Lenisha Lilly

Dear Santa,
My name is Todd Gray. do you make He-man and battle cat. If you do can I have it and I also want four Gobots I want the blue jet and it does not matter witch ones I get. I also want a bmx dirt bike for Christmas. I also want the swap bout and the battle fort.

Love your friend
Todd Gray

Dear Santa,
"You can give me this a cabage patch kid and dotty dog roller skates. Thats the best things. I need to tell you something. How can the mailman give the note? Is it cold up there? Do you have a mailbox? I know you are allergic to real Christmas trees. This is a special note."

"Have a Happy Christmas"
Your friend,
Melissa Thames


Dear Santa,
I want a gobot and the Hovercraft and a remote control car and a GI JOE truck express a bike and the GI JOE rattler.

Your friend,
Steven Smith

Dear Santa,
This year I hope you can get me theses thing: a Cindy Loper tape, michael Jackson tape, stickers, stamper, Rainbow Brite doll, Get a Long gang, recorder, clothes, makeit bakeit oven, parachute pants, and a pair of shoes. Thank you for what you gave me last year. I'll have some cookies and milk for you.

Your friend,
Elizabeth Dawson

Dear Santa,
I would like a bike, a toy train.



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This Man never went to college or seminary. He never wrote a book. He never held a public office. He never had a family nor owned a home. He never put His foot inside a big city nor traveled even 200 miles from His birthplace. And though He never did any of the things that usually accompany greatness, throngs of people followed Him. He had no credentials but Himself.

While He was still young, the tide of public opinion turned against Him. His followers ran away. He was turned over to His enemies and went through the mockery of a trial. He was sentenced to death on a cross between two thieves. While He was dying, His executioners gambled for the only piece of property He had on earth — the simple coat He had worn. His body was laid in a borrowed grave provided by a compassionate friend.

But three days later THIS MAN AROSE FROM THE DEAD — living proof that He was, as He had claimed, the Savior whom God had sent, the Incarnate Son of God.

Nineteen centuries have come and gone and today the risen Lord Jesus Christ is the central figure of the human race. On our calendars His birth divides history into two eras. One day of every week is set aside in remembrance of Him. And our two most important holidays celebrate His birth and resurrection. On church steeples around the world His cross has become the symbol of victory over sin and death.

This one Man's life has furnished the theme for more songs, books, poems and paintings than any other person or event in history. Thousands of colleges, hospitals, orphanages and other institutions have been founded in honor of this One who gave His life for us.

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Your friend
Abraham Brownfield

Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me this. My little pony dream castle, the Get Along Gang, Tapes, Tape player, books, records, baby dolls, Stickers, Markers, Rainbow Bright, color T.V., Play microwave, roller skates, Care bears, rideo player, Loving you barbie and candy. I wish you a Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Jolene Caudle

Dear Santa,
I hope I've been a good boy this year. Well what I want for

Christmas is Snake Mountain. Me and my brother are trying to get the whole collection of Masters of the Universe. I want some new clothes and some men that are from Masters of the Universe. I'd also like a A-team race track, cat, prime and a few other transformers.

Yours sincerely,
Daniel Layfield

Dear Santa,
How are you? I'm fine. I would like a truck transformer. If you can't find a truck transformer I'll take a gobot and Leader 1 and Jazz and sound-wave.

From,
Justin Lumpkin

Dear Santa,
I would like some gobots, foot-ball, super cliff hanger, a bike, transformers, a desk, some candy, clothes, and a black and white cheched pad for my bike, and a jambox.

Your friend
Addam Porter

Dear Santa,
Would you bring me a Jam-box? a Cindyloper tape, Rod Stewart tape a Make it and Bake it Oven and striped blue jeans and a shirt, a Ice Cream doll.

Thanks Santa
Kristi Davis

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas. I would like a Cabbage Patch kid, the Barbie Swimming Pool, and a pear of winter p.j.s for the Cabbage Patch kid, the Barbie McDonalds. One more thing, a Great Shape Skipper. That all!

Your friend,
Melinda Caspers

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a pair of roller skates, a watch, earrings, loving you barbie, some cloths for my cabage patch kid, a stuffed unicorn, and a telephone, a premie cabage patch kid.

Yours truly,
Jennifer Patrick



May you share
in the joy that
is Christmas.
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Dear Santa,
I hope you get this letter. Can you bring me a puppy, cat, the Rainbow Brite set, A Cabbage Patch Kid, A flower kid, a Preamy Cabbage Patch Kid, and a pair of roller skates.

Your friend
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663-5515

By-Rite Auto
Hwy 31 So. North of K mart
Pelham
663-4103

Crossroads Auto Sales Inc.
Hwy 119 & 22, Montevallo
665-4256

Crossroads Auto Sales Inc.
Lot 2 537 Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-4256

Ernest McCarty Ford
Hwy 31 Alabaster
663-3831

Henry Motors
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-5950

Ivan Leonard Chevrolet Inc.
1620 Montgomery Hwy Hoover
823-3190

Leach Pontiac-GMC Inc.
43 So. Main, Montevallo
665-1255

Midfield Auto
506 Bessemer Super Hwy., Midfield
925-8479

Porters Motor Company
Pelham Industrial Park, Pelham
664-0160

Strickland Chevrolet
Hwy 31 South, Pelham
664-1491

Strickland Chrysler Plymouth, & Dodge
Hwy 31 South, Pelham
664-2585

Auto Parts

Aus Auto Parts (NAPA)
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1244

Austin Auto Parts
Hwy 31 No., Calera
668-2107

B.J. Auto Parts
Intersection 280 & 231, Harpersville
672-9690

Belbro Discount Auto Parts
Hwy 31 South, Pelham
663-1883 or 664-1884

Brown Auto Parts
County Rd. 304, Calera
668-2650

Calera Auto Parts
113 16th Ave., Calera
668-1148

Harris Auto Parts
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-6582

Henry's Garage
Hwy 155, Calera
668-0849

Ken's Auto Parts
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-2990 or 663-2991

Siener Auto Parts
Alabaster
663-1810

Van's Auto Repairs & Parts, Inc.
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1229

Westover Auto Parts
Hwy 280 & 55, Westover
678-8130

Auto Parts - Used, Foreign

Graham's Foreign Car Salvage, Inc.
Calera
668-0361 or 668-1169

Auto Repairs

Allen's Used Auto Parts
Hwy 17, Montevallo
665-4408

Earl's Garage & Warehouse
Tire Center
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Eave's Garage
Rt. 2, Box 169-F, Columbiana
669-3292

Elliottville Garage
Hwy 119 So., Alabaster
663-2111

Farr Auto
217 So. Court St., Columbiana
669-6372 or 669-6831

Howard & Jimmy's Auto Sales
Hwy 62, Harpersville
672-9610

Montevallo Union 76
130 Main St., Montevallo
665-7218

Parker's Auto Service
Vandiver
672-9358

Ray's Radiator-Muffler Repairs
Pelham, Leeds, Hueytown
663-5647

Van's Auto Repairs & Parts Inc.
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1229

Bait Shops
Beeswax Bait & Grocery
Hwy 145, Beeswax Creek
Public Boat Launch
669-9465

Barbecue
Beverly's Barbecue
Old Hwy 31 So., Columbiana
669-4037

Buddy's Bar-B-Que
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-6993

Golden Rule Barbecue
Pelham Plaza Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-9319

The Pit Barbecue
Old Hwy 31, Montevallo & Calera exit
668-1274

Richey's Barbecue
231 Harpersville
672-7220

Barbers

Chelsea Barber Style Shop
and Family Hair Care
Hwy 47, next to Chelsea Post Office
678-8181

Esquire Barber Style Shop
Next to Alabaster City Hall
663-2947

Traywick's Barber Style Shop
Hwy 31, Calera
668-2533

Beauty Salons

Barbara's Beauty Shop
Hwy 51, Westover
678-6581

Blackberry Beauty Salon - Sherry
Hwy 25, Wilsonville
669-6188 or 669-6006

Bunny's Beauty Shop
Shelby
669-6624

Caroline's Cut & Curl
Hwy 25, Vandiver
672-2835

Connor's Family Haircutters
Helena Shopping Center
663-0731

Cutter's Corner
Jesup Building, Alabaster
663-3038

Fox Valley Hair Style
Corner of Hwy 44 (1st Ave.) & Hwy 17
664-3003

Fran's Beauty Salon
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-2698

Hair Cutters

1240 1st Street No. Jessup Bldg.
Alabaster
663-5888 or 663-0293

Hair Unlimited

Vandiver
672-7100

Howard's Hair Care

Hwy 25, Wilsonville
669-9550

J. Cromwell Hair Designs Inc.

2520 Valleydale Rd
991-5131

Kut & Curl Beauty Salon

612 6th Ave SW, Alabaster
663-3511

Linda's Style Salon

108 1st St. No., Alabaster
663-4860

Mane Direction Family Hair Salon

Pelham Plaza Mall
663-3950

Modern Image

Alabaster Plaza Shopping Center
664-0053

Oilie Mae's Beauty Shop

Hwy 155, Montevallo
665-7736

Pat's Family Hair Care

Main St., Calera
668-0633

Pelham Barber Shop

Across from Golden Rule Barbecue
Pelham
663-3422

The Personal Touch Family Hairstyling

Columbiana
669-9284

The Style Shop

318 Ashville Rd., Montevallo
665-2808

Trend & Tradition

Across from Thompson High School
Alabaster
663-7539

Winning Trend

Alabaster Shopping Center
664-2397

Winning Trend

Shelby Mart Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-9024

Beauty Supply

R & R Beauty Supply
Hwy 31, Alabaster
664-1192

Boats

Airport Marine
Airport exit on Hwy 65 Alabaster
664-0407

Brick Mason

Clyde Mathews Masonry Contractor
Westover
668-6694

Carpets

Perry's Quality Cleaning Service
Calera
668-2128

Caterers

Gardner's Bakery
125 1st Ave. W., Alabaster
663-4070

Ceramics

Barbara's Ceramics
Greenware & Supplies
Wilsonville
669-7515

Certified Financial Planner

Holton Financial Planning, Inc.
167 Shoshone, Montevallo
665-1648

Child Care

Alabaster Day Care Center
Alabaster Night Care
516 6th Ave. S.W. Alabaster
663-1622

Child Care

Calera Day Care Center
Main St., Calera
668-1567

Child Care

Miss Dot's Day Care
Montevallo & Wilton area Co. Rd. 73
665-4315

Child Care

New Life Day Care & Kindergarten
Hwy 31 No., Calera
663-1389

Child Care

Batts Chimney Services
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
956-8207

Child Care

Smoke Top Chimney Sweep
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
923-3027

Child Care

One Hour Martinizing
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
14 mile So. of Shoney's
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All Your Electronic Needs
849-5041

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Excavating
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Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
663-4456

Child Care

Charles R. Burgess Excavating
Dargin Crossing Intersection of 22,
70, & 31,
Calera
668-2268

Child Care

R & L Excavating
Wilsonville
669-6355

Child Care

Wilson Contracting Company
P.O. Box 328, Pelham
663-6967

Child Care

Fox Valley Mart
Hwy 44, Alabaster
663-9038

Child Care

Holcombe Shell Handy Mart
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4979

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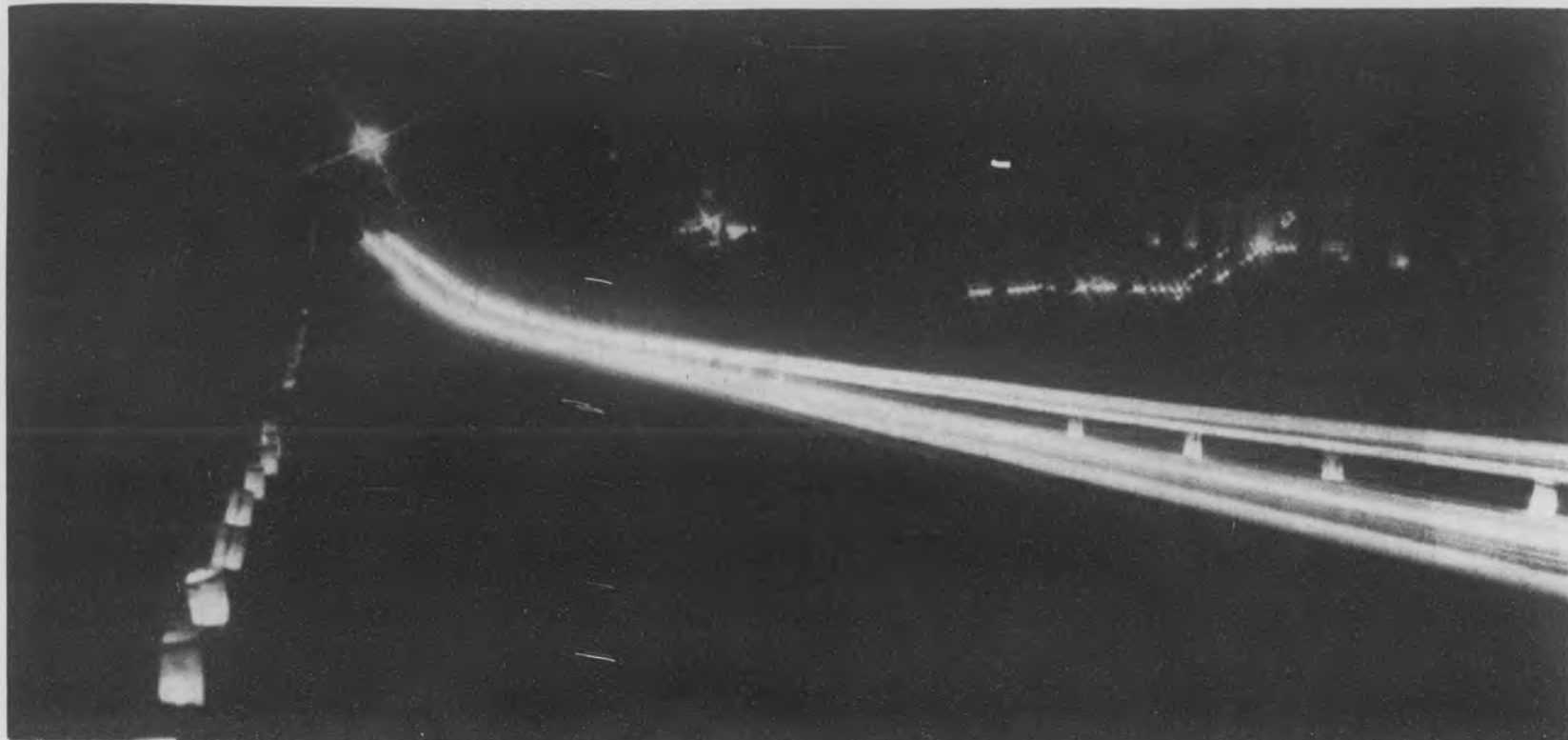
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Christmas street

Car light, car bright, first car I've seen tonight, I wish I may; I wish I might; I wish you'd steer more to the right. Maple Street in Alabaster became a popular route Saturday night as residents placed luminaries

'Bring mom gold ring'

Dear Santa,

I would like lots of surprises for Christmas like Man-Tech men at K-mart, lots of G.I. Joe stuff and Star Wars men. And I would like He-Man stuff and Snake Mountain mostly, and Transformers and Gobots too.

Would you please bring my Mom a GOLD RING and would you bring my Dad some white shirts 'cause he needs shirts. My brother would like some D&D books.

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus. Hope you had a nice summer. Here are some of the things I want for Christmas: 1. Jam Box 2. Cyndi Lauper, Prince, and

Seven and the Ragged Tiger Tapes 3. Dream Dancer 4. Cabbage Patch Kid 5. a lot of stickers.

Your friend,
Rikki Owens

* * * *

We will give you cookies and your 8 little reindeer some carrots. I love you and your reindeer.

Love

Russell Turner
My brother Troy heard your reindeer on the roof last year.

Thanks very much for everything.
I hope you have a good Christmas.

along their front lawns to create a special nighttime effect for the Christmas holidays. Another special effect was created by a time-lapsed photograph of a moving vehicle. (photo by Jim Parks)

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Hwy 31, Pelham, Plaza Mall
664-2098

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103 Main St., Calera
668-2161
Kilmer E.L. Furniture Co., Inc.
111 1st N. Alabaster
663-4281
Rags to Riches
Hwy 31 So., Pelham Mall
663-1333
Spencer Furniture Company
3010 Hwy 31 South, Pelham
664-3441

Garbage & Rubbish Removal

Whitfield Sanitation Services
27 Monte Tierra Tr., Montevallo
663-4862

General Contractors

All Pro Construction Company
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
988-0138 or 967-5343
Greg Rushion
669-9383
988-5300
Standifler Contractors
1240 1st N., Alabaster
663-7269

Gifts

Beth's Gifts
125 Main, Montevallo
665-2032
Mill Outlet-Christmas Happiness!
Hwy 31 Pelham
663-5665

Shelby County Corner Hobby &
Craft Shop
Hwy 99 South of Shelby
669-7502

Guns

John's Locksmith & Pawn Shop
Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-2910

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Are You Tired? Energize!
Hwy 31 Pelham
663-6665
Cosmetics & Complimentary Facials
Columbiana
669-6585
Diet Center
2 B Brown Circle Next door to Jessup
Bldg., Alabaster
664-1090
Electrologists Clinic of Hoover
3100 Lorna Rd., Barbizon Bldg. 331
Hoover
979-4247, 979-HAIR
Electrolysis Salon South
1025 Montgomery Hwy. No. 108
Vestavia
979-2767
Herbal Life Diet
Lose weight feel great
822-5750
Lady Lorene Cosmetics
Serving Shelby County
669-9173 or 663-4464
Tami's Exercise Studio
Suite I, Main St., Columbiana
Clark Dean's Office Building
669-4209

Health Center

The New Horizon
100 Perry Road, Columbiana
669-3670

Heating

Alabaster Service, Inc.
Co. Rd. 68, Alabaster
664-0722
Mountain Appliance
5001 Cahaba River Rd., Birmingham
967-6440 or 967-6453

Home Improvement

All Pro Construction Company
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
988-0138 or 967-5343
Glenn
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
967-4092
Rich Construction Co.
Columbiana
669-4711
W.T. Bradley
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
669-7191

Insulation

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Insurance

Alabama Farm Bureau
Walt Moody, Columbiana
669-3166
Rux Carter Insurance Agency
George Bentley, Columbiana
669-3158
State Farm Insurance
Jeff Falkner, Columbiana
669-6706

Jewelry

Lacey Jewelry & Gifts
25 South Main, Montevallo
666-7296
Levy Jewelry & Loan Company
2116 2nd Avenue No., B'ham
251-3381

Kennels

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy. 25, Sterrett
672-7010
Millierof Kennels
Kingdom Community Columbiana
669-7174

Landscaping

Jerry McAnally
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
631-4229 or 631-3330

Lending Money

Levy Jewelry & Loan Company
2116 2nd Ave. No., B'ham
251-3381

Locksmith

Joseph's Corner
Hwy 47, Columbiana-Chelsea
663-3214

Maintenance

PTAK'S Maintenance
Columbiana
669-3416

Manicurist

Purr-fect Nails
Inside Mane Direction,
Pelham Plaza Mall
663-3950

Memorials

Central Alabama Memorials, Inc.
Hwy 280, East of Chelsea
678-9900

MobileHomes

Adventure Homes Inc.
3438 Hwy 31 Pelham
663-4975
Factory Direct Housing
2793 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
664-1593
Joe's Mobile Homes
Hwy 280, Westover
678-9959

Mobile Homes

Lawler Homes Two
Hwy 31 S., Pelham
664-0046
Triple D Homes, Inc.
2798 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-1171

Mobile Home Transporters

Alabama Mobile Homes Transporters
2900 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-9615

Monuments

Central Alabama Memorials, Inc.
Hwy 280, East of Chelsea
678-9900
Rockco Monument Company
Hwy 25 South, Montevallo
665-2135

Mufflers & Tailpipes

Earl's Garage & Warehouse
Tire Center
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Needlework

The Etui
Main St., Columbiana
669-4546

Opticians

Bob Green
Hwy 31 So 1007-A 1st No., Alabaster
663-4844 or 663-2177

Outboard Motor

Lay Marine Repair
Hwy 47, Shelby
669-3396

Painting

Clay's Painting & Decorating
Serving Shelby County Area
663-4368

Danny Acker
Montevallo
665-4121

Danny Akers
Columbiana
669-7801 after 4 p.m.

Henley Austin Painting
Sunrise Cove, Columbiana
669-7515

Turner Painting Inc., Commercial &
Industrial Sandblasting & Painting
Westover
678-8393

W.T. Bradley
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
669-7191

Seaman Timber Company, Inc.
Hwy 25 S., Montevallo
665-2536

Passport Photo

American Image Inc.
PhotoLab
3150 Lorna Road, Hoover
979-1464

Pest Control

Halsten Pest Control
Serving Shelby & Talladega Counties
378-6423 or 378-7665

Shelby County Pest Control, Inc.
Hwy 25 & 9th St., Calera
668-1017

Wayne's Pest Control Inc.
3170 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2077

Pet Grooming
Dale's Poodle Salon
612 6th Ave. SW, Alabaster
663-3433

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Pet Shops

Helen's Pet Spa & Boutique, Supplies,
Birds, & Puppies
1410 A Montgomery Hwy
979-5046
Tropical Pets
Shelby Mart, next to Winn Dixie in
Pelham
664-2119

Pet Supplies

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Pharmacies

Clinic Pharmacy
Main St., Vincent
672-2551
Columbiana Drug
122 South Main St., Columbiana
669-6781
Coward Drug Company
Hwy 31 So., Calera
668-1723
Crossroads Discount Pharmacy
Moore's Crossroads, Montevallo
665-2616
Montevallo Drug
108 E Middle, Montevallo
665-1261

Photography

Environmental Photoart
2581 Chandalair Lane, Pelham
663-4905
John Ellison Photography
Pelham
663-6243

The Studio of King's
15 Middle, Montevallo
665-4795

Piano Lessons

Diane Moore
Kingdom Community Columbiana
669-3338

Picture Framing

Frame Factory
Main St., Columbiana
669-4546

Payne's Custom Framing
Pelham Mall
664-1577

Sallis Frames
106 1st St. SW, Alabaster
663-5112

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Lewis Nursery
Hwy 61, Columbiana
Kingdom Community
669-7933
Myer's Plants & Pottery
2835 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Oak Mtn. Nursery Feed & Seed
Hwy 280 E and Shelby Co. 41
991-6950

Plumbing

Hodgen's Plumbing & Sewer Service
Shelby County
678-6730

M & M Plumbing Service Company
508 Wilderness Rd., Pelham
663-1543

Morrison Plumbing
236 1st St. SW, Alabaster
663-4728

Professional Maintenance Remodeling
Services
Jefferson & Shelby County area
853-8136

Real Estate

CKM Realty
Shelby-Cahaba Office
2700 Montgomery Hwy, Pelham
663-0163

Real Estate

Dixie Realty
101 Jessup Bldg., Alabaster
663-2262

Fennell Realty Company
Across from Shelby Medical Center
663-6400

First Real Estate
3170 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-3895

Larry Cain Real Estate
Hwy 280, Westover
678-9000

Roberts Real Estate
117 Main, Montevallo
Across from Alabama Power Co.
665-2163

Scott-Long
215 No. Main St., Montevallo
665-1268 or 663-6723

Rental Mobile Homes

Crestwood Manor
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-2411

Restaurants

Meadowlark Restaurant
County Rd. 66, 534 Industrial Rd.,
Alabaster
663-3141

Riverview Restaurant
Hwy 31 No., Clanton
675-5909

The Pit Barbecue
Old 31 Hwy, Montevallo and
Calera exit
668-1274

Retail Jewelers

Zeigler's Discount Jewelry
2744 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-3059

Roofing

Danny Akers
Columbiana
669-7801 after 4 p.m.

Saws

Columbiana Lawn & Garden Equipment
Sales & Service
101 Mill Ln., Columbiana
669-6280

Columbiana Small Engines
Hwy 25, Columbiana
669-9726

Montevallo Small Engines
202 Hwy 25 So., Montevallo
665-4526

Septic Tank Cleaning

Meeks Septic Tank Cleaning
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
425-8303 or 870-8600

Hampton Holcombe
Live & Works in Shelby Co., Chelsea
678-6907

Service Stations

Alabaster Chevron Service
323 Main, Alabaster
664-1818

Calera Gulf
Main, Calera
668-9907

Columbiana Gulf
East College St., Columbiana
669-9455

Interstate Gulf
Interstate 1 & 53, Alabaster
664-2205

Lovejoy Citgo Service Station
Wilton, Montevallo
665-2444

Sonny's Gulf & Grocery
Interstate of Hwy 25 Bypass & Hwy
70, Columbiana
669-4362

Westover Food & Service
Corner of Co. Rd 51 & Old 280,
Westover
678-9841

Sewing Machines

G. H. Metcalf Sales & Repairs
3 Miles So of Westover on Hwy 55
678-9001

The Sewing Center
Shelby Mart Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-4813

Sheetrock Work

W.H. Blackburn
Montevallo
665-5420

Shoes

G G's Shoes & Things-Antiques
103 Main St., Calera
668-1574

Shelby County Shoe Clinic
Main St., Columbiana
669-4004

The Name Dropper Fashion Shoes for
Ladies
110 East Middle St., Montevallo
665-2210

The Shoe Store
3180 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-4214

Siding, Vinyl-Alum

Brown Home Improvement
Calera
669-9200

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Poe Siding & Construction
Serving Alabama
668-1448

Signs

Kelley's Sign Company
Route 1, Box 166, Westover
678-6703

Sign Graphics
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
669-6657

Small Engines

Bentley's Chain Saws
Hwy 25 East, Columbiana
669-6322

Dixie Aircooled Engines
Hwy 119 3 miles So. of Alabaster
664-3192

The Outdoor Store
2307 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2002

Sporting Goods

Backcountry Outfitters
Hwy 31 So., Vestavia
822-1960

Storm Windows

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So., Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Stud Services

A.K.C. Golden Retriever
Champion Bloodline
Wilsonville
669-7980

Telegraph

Western Union
2935 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Timber Buyers

Shelby County Logging
Shelby County & Surrounding Counties
669-3271

Tires

Earl's Garage & Warehouse Tire Center
Hwy 25 By Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

'I wanta typewriter and sewing machine'

Dear Santa,
I want Beive It Or Not, Chutes and ladders, Bargain hunter, Life, Stuff Your Face, Trivial Pursuit, Transformers cy kill, leader 1, zod, megatron, Gobots turba, scooter, copter, Masters of the Universe. Snake Mountain, He man, Castle Graystone, Gotcha Hungry Hungry Hippos, And all the Robtech changers and defencers.

Your friend
Abraham Brownfield
* * * *

Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me this. My little pony dream castle, the Get Along Gang, Tapes, Tape player, books, records, baby dolls, Stickers, Markers, Rainbow Bright, color T.V., Play microwave, roller skates, Care bears, rideo player, Loving you barbie and candy. I wish you a Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Jolene Caudle
* * * *

Dear Santa,
I hope I've been a good boy this year. Well what I want for

Christmas is Snake Mountain. Me and my brother are trying to get the whole collection of Masters of the Universe. I want some new clothes and some men that are from Masters of the Universe. I'd also like a A-team race track, cat, prime and a few other transformers.

Yours sincerely,
Daniel Layfield
* * * *

Dear Sante,
How are you? I'm fine. I would like a truck transformer. If you can't find a truck transformer I'll take a gobot and Leader 1 and Jazz and sound-wave.

From,
Justin Lumpkin
* * * *

Dear Santa,
I would like some gobots, foot-ball, super cliff hanger, a bike, transformers, a desk, some candy, clothes, and a black and white cheched pad for my bike, and a jambox.

Your friend
Addam Porter

Dear Santa,
Would you bring me a Jam-box? a Cindyloper tape, Rod Stewart tape a Make it and Bake it Oven and striped blue jeans and a shirt, a Ice Cream doll.

Thanks Santa
Kristi Davis
* * * *

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas. I would like a Cabbage Patch kid, the Barbie Swimming Pool, and a pear of winter p.j.s for the Cabbage Patch kid, the Barbie McDonalds. One more thing, a Great Shape Skipper. That all!

Your friend,
Melinda Caspers
* * * *

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a pair of roller skates, a watch, earrings, loving you barbie, some cloths for my cabage patch kid, a stuffed unicorn, and a telephone, a premie cabage patch kid.

Yours truly,
Jennifer Patrick



May you share in the joy that is Christmas.
Many thanks to all.
MONTEVALLO UNION 76

Dear Santa,
I hope you get this letter. Can you bring me a puppy, cat, the Rainbow Brite set, A Cabbage Patch Kid, A flower kid, a Preamy Cabbage Patch Kid, and a pair of roller skates.

Your friend
Gail Meese
* * * *

Dear Santa.
My want list
Drum
car set
cement truck
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motorcycle

Jason Mims

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Montevallo Mud
18 Middle West, Montevallo
665-7774

Air Conditioning

Alabaster Service Incorporated
County Road 68, Alabaster
664-0722

Bates Coleman Heat Pumps,
Insulation, Storm Windows & Awnings
Hwy 25, Calera
668-2349

Shelby Heating, Cooling &
Electric Company, Inc.
Old Hwy 280, Chelsea
678-6617

Aircraft Rental & Flight Training

Shelby County Airport
145 South, Alabaster
663-4805

Aluminum Products

Tyes Aluminum Products
Calera
668-2399

Ambulance Service

Central Shelby Ambulance Service
North Shelby, Valley Dale
663-4644 or 991-6409

Harpersville Ambulance Garage &
Wrecker Service
Route 1, Harpersville
672-2264

Animal Shelters

Humane Society of Shelby County
Box 110, McDow Drive, Columbiana
669-4562

Antiques

Bargain Barn Wholesale Antiques
Hwy 31 South, Calera
668-0204

Apartments

Town Creek Apartments
Columbiana
669-7017

Appliances

Bird Supply Company
103 Main St., Calera
668-2161

Jack's Color T.V. & Appliances
873 1st St. No., Alabaster
664-1550

Mountain Appliance
5001 Cahaba River Rd.
Birmingham
967-8440 or 967-6453

Smith-Smith Supply Company
West College St., Columbiana
669-6711

Terry's Service Company
35 Main St., Montevallo
665-1731

Appliance Services

Erskine Hand
Pelham
663-7719

Appliance Services

George Handyman &
Appliance Services
Serving Shelby County Area
665-1471

Robert Wheeler Appliance
Columbiana
669-4747

Stoudmire Co., Inc.
Certified for Jefferson and Shelby
668-1809

Asphalt Concrete & Paving

Dunn Construction Company, Inc.
Helena
663-0776

Shelby Asphalt
Montevallo
665-1284

Assembly Packing & All Mailing Services

Work Shop, Inc.
Box 676, Alabaster
663-1761

Auto Body Shop & Painting

Alabaster Auto Body
Across from Thompson High School
Hwy. 119
664-1069

Earl's Garage & Warehouse Tire Center
Hwy 25, By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Highway 280 Paint & Body Shop
Hwy 280, Chelsea
678-6176

Kirk's Paint & Body Shop
Behind Triple J, Alabaster
663-3996

Auto Machine Shop Service

Custom Automotive
Hwy 87, Alabaster
664-3713

Automatic Transmission Service

Helena Auto Service
Junction of Hwy 17 and 52, Helena
Behind Joe Bob Service Station
663-4482

Automotive

Alabaster Motors
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
Next door to Dairy Queen
663-7767

Blankenship Automotive Inc.
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-5515

By-Rite Auto
Hwy 31 So. North of K mart
Pelham
663-4103

Crossroads Auto Sales Inc.
Hwy 119 & 22, Montevallo
665-4256

Crossroads Auto Sales Inc.
Lot 2 537 Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-4256

Ernest McCarty Ford
Hwy 31 Alabaster
663-3831

Henry Motors
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-5950

Ivan Leonard Chevrolet Inc.
1620 Montgomery Hwy Hoover
823-3100

Leach Pontiac-GMC Inc.
43 So. Main, Montevallo
665-1255

Midfield Auto
506 Bessmer Super Hwy., Midfield
925-6479

Portera Motor Company
Pelham Industrial Park, Pelham
664-0160

Strickland Chevrolet
Hwy. 31 South, Pelham
664-1491

Strickland Chrysler, Plymouth, & Dodge
Hwy. 31 South, Pelham
664-2585

Auto Parts

Aus Auto Parts (NAPA)
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1244

Austin Auto Parts
Hwy 31 No., Calera
668-2107

B.J. Auto Parts
Intersection 280 & 231, Harpersville
672-3690

Belbro Discount Auto Parts
Hwy 31 South, Pelham
663-1883 or 664-1884

Brown Auto Parts
County Rd. 304, Calera
668-2650

Calera Auto Parts
113 16th Ave., Calera
668-1148

Harris Auto Parts
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-6582

Henry's Garage
Hwy 155, Calera
668-0849

Ken's Auto Parts
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-2990 or 663-2991

Siener Auto Parts
Alabaster
663-1810

Van's Auto Repairs & Parts, Inc.
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-1229

Westover Auto Parts
Hwy 280 & 55, Westover
678-8130

Auto Parts - Used, Foreign

Graham's Foreign Car Salvage, Inc.
Calera
668-0361 or 668-1169

Auto Repairs

Allen's Used Auto Parts
Hwy 17, Montevallo
665-4408

Earl's Garage & Warehouse
Tire Center
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Erve's Garage
Rt. 2, Box 169-F, Columbiana
869-3292

Elliottville Garage
Hwy 119 So., Alabaster
663-2111

Farr Auto
217 So. Court St., Columbiana
669-6372 or 669-6831

Howard & Jimmy's Auto Sales
Hwy 62, Harpersville
672-9610

Montevallo Union 76
130 Main St., Montevallo
665-7218

Parker's Auto Service
Vandiver
672-9358

Ray's Radiator-Muffler Repairs
Pelham, Leeds, Hueytown
663-5647

Van's Auto Repairs & Parts Inc.
Hwy 31 So., Montevallo
665-1229

Bait Shops

Beeeswax Bait & Grocery
Hwy 145, Beeeswax Creek
Public Boat Launch
669-9465

Barbecue

Beverly's Barbecue
Old Hwy 25, Columbiana
669-4037

Buddy's Bar-B-Que
Hwy 31 So., Alabaster
663-6993

Golden Rule Barbecue
Pelham Plaza Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-9319

The Pit Barbecue
Old Hwy 31, Montevallo & Calera exit
668-1274

Richey's Barbecue
231 Harpersville
672-7220

Barbers

Chelsea Barber Style Shop
and Family Hair Care
Hwy 47, next to Chelsea Post Office
678-6181

Esquire Barber Style Shop
Next to Alabaster City Hall
663-2947

Traywick's Barber Style Shop
Hwy 31, Calera
668-2533

Beauty Salons

Barbara's Beauty Shop
Hwy 51, Westover
678-6581

Blackberry Beauty Salon - Sherry
Hwy 25, Wilsonville
669-6188 or 669-6006

Bunny's Beauty Shop
Shelby
669-6624

Caroline's Cut & Curl
Hwy 25, Vandiver
672-2835

Connor's Family Haircutters
Helena Shopping Center
663-0731

Cutter's Corner
Jessup Building, Alabaster
663-3038

Fox Valley Hair Style
Corner of Hwy 44 (1st Ave.) & Hwy 17
664-3003

Fran's Beauty Salon
Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-2698

Hair Cutters
1240 1st Street No. Jessup Bldg.
Alabaster
663-5868 or 663-0293

Hair Unlimited
Vandiver
672-7100

Howard's Hair Care
Hwy 25, Wilsonville
669-9550

J Cromwell Hair Designs Inc.
2520 Valleydale Rd
991-5131

Kut & Curl Beauty Salon
612 8th Ave SW, Alabaster
663-3511

Linda's Style Salon
108 1st St. No., Alabaster
663-4860

Mane Direction Family Hair Salon
Pelham Plaza Mall
663-3950

Modern Image
Alabaster Plaza Shopping Center
664-0053

Ollie Mae's Beauty Shop
Hwy 155, Montevallo
665-7736

Pat's Family Hair Care
108 1st St. No., Alabaster
668-0633

Pelham Barber Shop
Across from Golden Rule Barbecue
Pelham
663-3422

The Personal Touch Family Hairstyling
Columbiana
669-9284

The Style Shop
318 Ashville Rd., Montevallo
665-2808

Trend & Tradition
Across from Thompson High School
Alabaster
663-7539

Winning Trend
Alabaster Shopping Center
664-2397

Winning Trend
Shelby Mart Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-9024

Beauty Supply

R & R Beauty Supply
Hwy 31, Alabaster
664-1192

Boats

Airport Marine
Airport exit on Hwy 65 Alabaster
664-0407

Brick Mason

Clyde Mathews Masonry Contractor
Westover
678-6694

Donnie Higgins
Masonry Contractors
Alabaster
663-9496

Building Supplies

Acton Moulding & Supply
Co. Rd. 17, Helena
663-0130

Bird Building Material - Ace Hardware
Hwy 31 North, Calera
668-2321

Brown WV Lumber Co.
Hwy 139, Brierfield
665-7514

Holcombe Building Supply, Inc.
4 Locations
669-6731

Smith-Smith Supply Co.
W. College St., Columbiana
669-6711

Bush Hogging

Jerry McAnally
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
631-4229 or 631-3330

Bus Lines

Greyhound Bus Lines
2935 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Bush Hog Dealer

Austin Auto Parts
Hwy 31 No., Calera
668-2107

Cabinet Makers

D&S Cabinets
Hwy 119, Alabaster
663-3560

Shelby County Woodwork
Hwy 25 East, Calera
668-0235

Cable & Satellite TV Systems

Alabama Satellite Services, Inc.
Serving State of Alabama
664-8438

A B K Satellite T.V. Systems & Space
Communication
Serving Jefferson and Shelby County
991-6362

ROMO Satellite TV Systems
Rt. 1, Box 256 A, Sterrett
678-9958 or 678-6160

Star-Trackers
Serving through out the State
668-0892

Car Washing & Polishing

McKenzie's Auto Cleaners
2774-A Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-9360

Carpentry

Professional Maintenance &
Remodeling Service
Jefferson & Shelby Co. area
853-8136

Carpets

Bill's Carpet Installation Service
Serving Shelby County Area
669-4011 or 669-4532

Carpet Outlet of Pelham, Inc.
3457 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-4393

D & M Dry Carpet Cleaning
Services
Chelsea
678-6179

King Carpet Cleaning
Hwy 17, Alabaster
664-1381

Carpets

Perry's Quality Cleaning Service
Calera
668-2128

Caterers

Gardner's Bakery
125 1st Ave. W., Alabaster
663-4070

Ceramics

Barbara's Ceramics
Greenware & Supplies
Wilsonville
669-7515

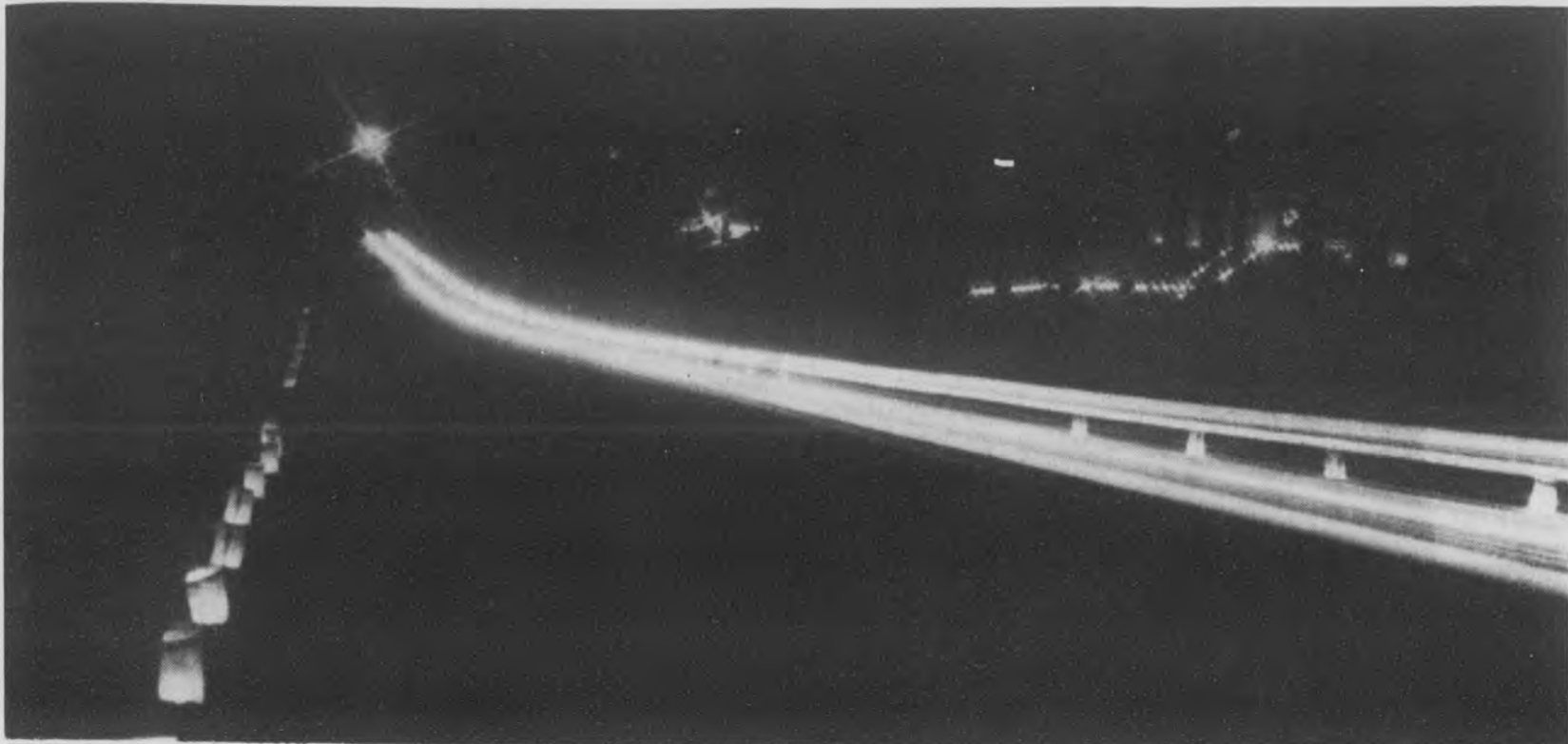
C & D Ceramics
1326 1st Ave. West, Alabaster
663-2615

Certified Financial Planner

Holton Financial Planning, Inc.
167 Shoshone, Montevallo
665-1648

Child Care

Alabaster Day Care Center
Alabaster Night Care



Christmas street

Car light, car bright, first car I've seen tonight, I wish I may; I wish I might; I wish you'd steer more to the right. Maple Street in Alabaster became a popular route Saturday night as residents placed luminaries

'Bring mom gold ring'

Dear Santa,
I would like lots of surprises for Christmas like Man-Tech men at K-mart, lots of G.I. Joe stuff and Star Wars men. And I would like He-Man stuff and Snake Mountain mostly, and Transformers and Gobots too.

Would you please bring my Mom a GOLD RING and would you bring my Dad some white shirts 'cause he needs shirts. My brother would like some D&D books.

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Claus. Hope you had a nice summer. Here are some of the things I want for Christmas: 1. Jam Box 2. Cyndi Lauper, Prince, and

Seven and the Ragged Tiger Tapes 3. Dream Dancer 4. Cabbage Patch Kid 5. a lot of stickers.

Your friend,
Rikki Owens

We will give you cookies and your 8 little reindeer some carrots.
I love you and your reindeer.

Love
Russell Turner
My brother Troy heard your reindeer on the roof last year.

Thanks very much for everything.
I hope you have a good Christmas.

along their front lawns to create a special nighttime effect for the Christmas holidays. Another special effect was created by a time-lapsed photograph of a moving vehicle. (photo by Jim Parks)

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LOVE TO
ALL!

Here's hoping this holiday season is the best one yet!

MONTEVALLO SMALL ENGINES
202 Hwy 25 South
665-4526

To all our customers, who are also our dear friends, we offer Yuletide cheer by the yard, along with our sincere thanks.

CENTRAL FABRIC OF CALERA

Here's wishing all our friends and customers all the hope, joy and wonder of Christmas. Thank you for your loyal patronage.

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Jeff Blackerby

Business Directory

List your business for only \$1 a week

Call 669-3131

Fountains & Statuary

Garden Art
Hwy 31, Pelham, Plaza Mall
664-2098

Furniture

Bird Supply Co.
103 Main St., Calera
668-2161

Klimmer E.L. Furniture Co., Inc.
111 1st N. Alabaster
663-4281

Rags to Riches
Hwy 31 So., Pelham Mall
663-1333

Spencer Furniture Company
3010 Hwy 31 South, Pelham
664-3441

Garbage & Rubbish Removal

Whitfield Sanitation Services
27 Monte Tierra Tr., Montevallo
663-4862

General Contractors

All Pro Construction Company
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
988-0138 or 967-5343

Greg Rushton
669-9383
988-5300

Standifer Contractors
1240 1st N., Alabaster
663-7269

Gifts

Beth's Gifts
125 Main, Montevallo
665-2032

Mill Outlets-Christmas Happiness!
Hwy. 31 Pelham
663-5665

Shelby Country Corner Hobby & Craft Shop
Hwy 99 South of Shelby
669-7502

Guns

John's Locksmith & Pawn Shop
Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-2910

Health & Beauty

Are You Tired? Energize!
Hwy 31 Pelham
663-5665

Cosmetics & Complimentary Facials
Columbiana
669-6585

Diet Center
2 B Brown Circle Next door to Jessup Bldg, Alabaster
664-1090

Electrologists Clinic of Hoover
3100 Lorna Rd., Barbizon Bldg. 331
Hoover
979-4247, 979-HAIR

Electrolysis Salon South
1025 Montgomery Hwy. No. 108
Vestavia
979-2767

Herbal Life Diet
Lose weight feel great
822-5750

Lady Lorraine Cosmetics
Serving Shelby County
669-9173 or 663-4464

Tami's Exercise Studio
Suite 1, Main St., Columbiana
Clark Dean's Office Building
669-4209

Health Center

The New Horizon
100 Ferry Road, Columbiana
669-3670

Heating

Alabaster Service, Inc.
Co. Rd. 66, Alabaster
664-0722

Mountain Appliance
5001 Cahaba River Rd., Birmingham
967-6440 or 967-6453

Home Improvement

All Pro Construction Company
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
988-0138 or 967-5343

Glenn
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
967-4092

Rich Construction Co.
Columbiana
669-4711

W.T. Bradley
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
669-7191

Insulation

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Insurance

Alabama Farm Bureau
Wait Moody, Columbiana
669-3166

Rux Carter Insurance Agency
George Bentley, Columbiana
669-3158

State Farm Insurance
Jeff Falkner, Columbiana
669-6706

Jewelry

Lacey Jewelry & Gifts
25 South Main, Montevallo
665-7296

Levy Jewelry & Loan Company
2116 2nd Avenue No., B'ham
251-3381

Kennels

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy. 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Millerof Kennels
Kingdom Community Columbiana
669-7174

Landscaping

Jerry McAnally
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
631-4229 or 631-3330

Lending Money

Levy Jewelry & Loan Company
2116 2nd Ave. No., B'ham
251-3381

Locksmith

Joseph's Corner
Hwy 47, Columbiana-Chelsea
669-3214

Maintenance

PTAK'S Maintenance
Columbiana
669-3416

Manicurist

Purr-fect Nails
Inside Mane Direction,
Pelham Plaza Mall
663-3950

Memorials

Central Alabama Memorials, Inc.
Hwy 280, East of Chelsea
678-8900

MobileHomes

Adventure Homes Inc.
3438 Hwy 31 Pelham
663-4975

Factory Direct Housing
2793 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
664-1593

Joe's Mobile Homes
Hwy 280, Westover
678-9959

Mobile Homes

Lawler Homes Two
Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-4046

Triple D Homes, Inc.
2798 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-1171

Mobile Home Transporters

Alabama Mobile Homes Transporters
2900 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-9615

Monuments

Central Alabama Memorials, Inc.
Hwy 280, East of Chelsea
678-8900

Rockco Monument Company
Hwy 25 South, Montevallo
665-2135

Mufflers & Tailpipes

Earl's Garage & Warehouse
Tire Center
Hwy 25 By-Pass, Columbiana
669-4655

Needlework

The Etui
Main St., Columbiana
669-4546

Opticians

Bob Green
Hwy 31 So 1007-A 1st No., Alabaster
663-4844 or 663-2177

Jim Clay
Shelby Medical Center
2nd Bldg behind Jack's, Alabaster
663-4292

Outboard Motor

Lay Marine Repair
Hwy 47, Shelby
669-3396

Painting

Clay's Painting & Decorating
Serving Shelby County Area
663-4368

Danny Acker
Montevallo
665-4121

Danny Akers
Columbiana
669-7801 after 4 p.m.

Henley Austin Painting
Sunrise Cove, Columbiana
669-7515

Turner Painting Inc., Commercial & Industrial Sandblasting & Painting
Westover
678-8393

W.T. Bradley
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
669-7191

Pallets and Skids

Seaman Timber Company, Inc.
Hwy 25 S., Montevallo
665-2536

Passport Photo

American Image Inc.
Photolab
3150 Lorna Road, Hoover
979-1464

Pest Control

Halsten Pest Control
Serving Shelby & Talladega Counties
378-6423 or 378-7665

Shelby County Pest Control, Inc.
Hwy 25 & 9th St., Calera
668-1017

Wayne's Pest Control Inc.
3170 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2077

Pet Grooming

Dale's Poodle Salon
612 6th Ave. SW, Alabaster
663-3433

Pet Shops

Heleen's Pet Spa & Boutique, Supplies, Birds & Puppies
1410 A Montgomery Hwy
979-5046

Tropical Pets
Shelby Mart, next to Winn Dixie in Pelham
664-2119

Pet Supplies

Dixie Frost Kennels
1/4 mile off Hwy 25, Sterrett
672-7010

Pharmacies

Clinic Pharmacy
Main St., Vincent
672-2551

Columbiana Drug
122 South Main St., Columbiana
669-6781

Cowart Drug Company
Hwy 31 So., Calera
668-1723

Crossroads Discount Pharmacy
Moore's Crossroads, Montevallo
665-2816

Montevallo Drug
108 E Middle, Montevallo
665-1261

Photography

Environmental Photoart
2581 Chandalier Lane, Pelham
663-4905

John Ellison Photography
Pelham
663-6243

The Studio of King's
15 Middle, Montevallo
665-4795

Piano Lessons

Diane Moore
Kingdom Community Columbiana
669-3338

Picture Framing

Frame Factory
Main St., Columbiana
669-4546

Payne's Custom Framing
Pelham Mall
664-1577

Sallie Frames
106 1st St. SW, Alabaster
663-5112

Plants

Lewis Nursery
Hwy 61, Columbiana
Kingdom Community
669-7933

Myer's Plants & Pottery
2935 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
663-6597

Oak Mtn. Nursery Feed & Seed
Hwy 280 E and Shelby Co. 41
991-6950

Plumbing

Hodgen's Plumbing & Sewer Service
Shelby County
678-6730

M & M Plumbing Service Company
508 Wilderness Rd, Pelham
663-1543

Morrison Plumbing
236 1st St. SW, Alabaster
663-4726

Professional Maintenance Remodeling Services
Jefferson & Shelby County area
853-8136

Real Estate
Shelby-Cahaba Office
2700 Montgomery Hwy, Pelham
663-0163

Real Estate

Dixie Realty
101 Jessup Bldg., Alabaster
663-2262

Fennell Realty Company
Across from Shelby Medical Center
663-6400

First Real Estate
3170 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-3895

Larry Cain Real Estate
Hwy 280, Westover
678-9000

Roberts Real Estate
117 Main, Montevallo
Across from Alabama Power Co.
665-2163

Scott-Long
215 No. Main St., Montevallo
665-1268 or 663-6723

Rental Mobile Homes

Crestwood Manor
Hwy 25, Montevallo
665-2411

Restaurants

Meadowlark Restaurant
County Rd. 66, 534 Industrial Rd., Alabaster
663-3141

Riverview Restaurant
Hwy 31 No., Clanton
755-5909

The Pitt Barbecue
Old 31 Hwy, Montevallo and Calera exit
668-1274

Retail Jewelers

Zeigler's Discount Jewelry
2744 Hwy 31 S., Pelham
663-3059

Roofing

Danny Akers
Columbiana
669-7801 after 4 p.m.

Saws

Columbiana Lawn & Garden Equipment
101 Mill Ln., Columbiana
669-9260

Columbiana Small Engines
Hwy 25, Columbiana
669-9726

Montevallo Small Engines
202 Hwy 25 So., Montevallo
665-4526

Septic Tank Cleaning

Meeks Septic Tank Cleaning
Serving Jefferson & Shelby County
425-8303 or 870-8600

Hampton Holcombe
Live & Works in Shelby Co., Chelsea
678-6907

Service Stations

Alabaster Chevron Service
323 Main, Alabaster
664-1818

Calera Gulf
Main, Calera
668-9907

Columbiana Gulf
East College St., Columbiana
669-9455

Interstate Gulf
Interstate I 65 & US 31, Alabaster
664-2205

Lovely Clito Service Station
Wilton, Montevallo
665-2444

Sonny's Gulf & Grocery
Interstate of Hwy 25 Bypass & Hwy 70, Columbiana
669-4362

Westover Food & Service
Corner of Co. Rd 51 & Old 280, Westover
678-9841

Sewing Machines

G. H. Metcalf Sales & Repairs
3 Miles So of Westover on Hwy 55
678-9001

The Sewing Center
Shelby Mart Shopping Center,
Pelham
663-4813

Sheetrock Work

W.H. Blackburn
Montevallo
665-5420

Shoes

G G's Shoes & Things-Antiques
103 Main St., Calera
668-1574

Shelby County Shoe Clinic
Main St., Columbiana
669-4004

The Name Dropper Fashion Shoes for Ladies
110 East Middle St., Montevallo
665-2210

The Shoe Store
3180 Hwy 31, Pelham
663-4214

Siding, Vinyl-Alum

Brown Home Improvement
Calera
669-9200

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga
245-2620 or 249-4061

Poe Siding & Construction
Serving Alabama
668-1448

Signs

Kelley's Sign Company
Route 1, Box 166, Westover
678-6703

Sign Graphics
Serving Shelby & Jefferson County
669-6657

Small Engines

Bentley's Chain Saws
Hwy 25 East, Columbiana
669-6322

Dixie Aircooled Engines
Hwy 119 3 miles So. of Alabaster
664-3192

The Outdoor Store
2307 Hwy 31 So., Pelham
664-2002

Sporting Goods

Backcountry Outfitters
Hwy 31 So., Vestavia
622-1960

Storm Windows

Ernie Banks Insulation Co.
406 So. Norton, Sylacauga

Dear Santa...

'I want ambulance, hammer, lighter'

Dear Santa,
I would like a diamond back bike silver with handbrakes, G.I. Joe flying combat fet, and 4 Gobots they are Cy-kill, Spoiler, Crasher and Rescue.

Your friend,
Darren Hubbard

Dear Santa,
I would like lots of surprises for Christmas like Man-Tech men at K-mart, lots of G.I. Joe stuff and Star Wars men. And I would like He-Man stuff and Snake Mountain mostly, and Transformers and Gobots too.

Would you please bring my Mom a GOLD RING and would you bring my Dad some white shirts 'cause he needs shirts. My brother would like some D&D books.

We will give you cookies and your 8 little reindeer some carrots.

I love you and your reindeer.

Love

Russell Turner
My brother Troy heard your reindeer on the roof last year.

Thanks very much for everything.

I hope you have a good Christmas.

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa. I want all kinds of Barbies and an Adoagte doll. I also want a cabbage Patch and an Angel Doll, also a Strawberry doll. I want a Typewriter and sewing machine. I have been a good girl.

Irene Edwards

Dear Santa,
Sorry of having to bother you at this time of year. But I couldn't find an address to write you with.

This Christmas I want a piano and a cassette player.

The piano to play on and a cassette player to tape me playing a piano and there is two (2) more things!

To bring those who don't believe in God to realize how Jesus suffered for them.

To help people over in Africa and other countries to enjoy their holidays and not to suffer over them.

Well I better close this letter.

Beth Merchant

Dear Santa,
If you can bring me this stuff I will be happy! If you can't that is O.K., I want cabbage patch kid boy ballheaded please. Santa I want a bay crib, a rocking chair, a chalk board, a clock, a cabbage patch kid clothes, and some shoes. and a Cabbage path kid phone.

P.S. Thanks for last Christmas I still have everything you gave me.

Your friend

Melanie Majors

Dear Santa,
Please send me a color TV, a Rainbow bright doll, and a Jackson five Victory tape, for Christmas. Santa this is the rest of my Christmas list: A Cindy Lopes tape and, and the game of life.

Yours truly,
Shonda Stafford

Dear Santa,
I am going to give you a list. a Huffy 2000r 400, G.I. Joe trucking express, baseball glove, baseball cleats, some batteries, 3 gobots leader 1, Jeep Creeper, Cykill, some stompers, 3 transformers prime, soundweave,

a jet. Will you get it for me. And some clothes and mer-man.

Love,
Kevin Watkins

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a Super cliff hanger that glows, a stereo, an orange real soccer ball, and a soccer goal, some gray parachute pants, and some candy to. Have a happy

Your friend
Tom Smith

Dear Santa,
This is what I want, I want a super cliffhanger, football, pelet gun, some pelets, a gobot, a brother, a gocar, three weeler, a jambox, a stocking full of candy, a stereo.

Your friend
Brian Carter

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a B-wing Fighter and some playdoh, lite-brite, some models too. Thanks for what you gave me last year. And if you can try to get me a BMX bycycle too. Tell Rudolph to work hard for it. And your elf.

Your friend,
Brian Criswell

Dear Santa,
Please come to see me, and don't forget my baby sister. I would like to have an electric dirt bike, a doll, anything else you have on hand for a three year old girl. Please don't forget the other kids I go to school with.

Thank you
Misty Ragsdale

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy for Christmas. I want an ambulance and a play hammer and lighter.

I love you,
Jama Seales

Dear Santa,
I love you. I would like you to bring me a motor cycle and He man STUFF.

love
T.J. Seales

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Chimere gift set, a Flower Princess Doll, a Flower Princess Rainbow

Unicorn and a Big Bird X-ylophone.

Thanks,
Melissa Fowler

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Tonka Dump truck, some boats for the tub and some little Golden Books.

Thanks
James Fowler

Dear Santa,
What I want most is a go Cart. look in the box to Santa Claus.

from
Paul Morris

Dear Santa,
I think I've been a pretty good boy for a four year old. Please remember I will be living at my Papas this Christmas. I would like to have a electric dirt motor-cycle, a small bicycle a remote

control car and any other suprise that you think I've been good enough to get.

Thank you
Matt Marler

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a convertible robot pistol, stomper water demons vehicle, a camera, a Lite Bright, a pack of crayons, a Power Rod and Brut Cologne.

Thanks,
Johnny Fowler

Dear Santa,
My name is Amanda I am in the 2nd grade I have been a very good little girl This year.

Would you Please bring me a dancing Barbie and a Krystal Barbie and I want a TV for my room.

I want a Cabbage Patch kid doll to.

Amanda Howard

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Thank you.

love,
Maggie Plott

Dear Santa,
The only thing I want for Christmas is Billy.

Merry Christmas

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa,
I want for Christmas a bicycle cars 2 trucks.
I am 6 years old and in the First grade.

From Dewayne Miller

Dear Santa,
I am writing a letter for Lee Bird. He is sending you a letter, but I don't believe you can read it.

He wants a big wheel, cars, trucks, gun and a button. The button has got to be a big one so we can make a toy out of it.

He also wants the string to go with the button.

Love Lee Birds
Mother & Lee Bird
Howard Lee Miller

Santa,
Lee Bird is drawing a picture of his toys he said.



Lee Birds' drawing of his toys

Dear Santa,
My name is Terry. I am six years old. I would like to have a go bot command center and some go bots, and a 18 wheeler truck and a attri game.

My sister Sabrina is three. She wants a orfun baby doll and cabbage patch makeup and cabbage patch shirts and a chubby kins doll and a newborn baby doll for Christmas. That is all. Thank you Santa.

Love
Terry and Sabrina Taylor
P.S. I wanted prime and stock-way go bots.

Dear Santa,
I am 3 years old, so my Mom is writing this letter for me. For Christmas I would like to have a Barbie doll and some clothes for her, and some surprises. My Mom says I have been pretty good this year.

Love
Kristy Barnett

Dear Santa,
I am 6 years old. This is what I want for Christmas.

1. play knife
2. G.I. Joe
3. Army tank
4. Suprises

Love
Landon Barnett

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl three years old. I have a baby sister she is 7 mo. old. Her name is Brooks.

I hope my letter is not too late. We have been good girls. Santa please bring me a glow worm and a motor bike run by batteries. Bring Brooks a baby glow worm and a small bike.

Oh! do not forget to bring a surprise.

I will have you some cookies and milk on the table.

P.S. Grandpa said to tell you not to forget him.

We love you Santa

Krista and Brooks Morris

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a 3 wheeler and my sister Kerrie a Rainbow Brite doll. Also I would like a doctor set so I can learn to be a doctor. I want a TV that plays records and some suprises. Me and Kerrie will leave you and your reindeers something to eat. My chimney is torn down so you might have to come in the door.

Love,
Robby and Kerrie Denty

Dear Santa Claus,
I want Castle Grayskull, Ram-Man, Sorceress, and Skelator and He-Man for Christmas. I like trucks and racetracks, too. I want a car wash. I forgot Battle cat. I love you and your elves and your reindeer.

Love,
Jeff Olney

Dear Santa Claus,
I want My little pony. + A Fancy Kimberly doll and twirly curls Barbie doll and ligs Alive and A town house for my Barbie dolls. I love you and your helpers. And reindeer.

Love
Kim Olney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Tenderheart Care Bear, He-Man bike, Tub toy, tractor with crane, McDonald watch, and a stomper truck.

I love you so much
David Rhodes

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a Cabbage Patch doll, Cabbage Patch stroller, Good Luck Care Bear, Rainbow Brite doll, Starlite horse, Crystal Barbie, Sprout Baby.

Please brig me some clothes, such as corduroy pants, white sweater, dress, watch, And a girls' wallet. I love Santa.

Love,
Karen Rhodes

Dear Santa,
I have been a real good person all this year. I wish to get a lot of things this Christmas.

Your friend,
Ginger Knowles

Dear Santa,
I want daddy to get well. I want a Adopted doll and Rainbow Brite and some suprises.

Thank you,
Melissa Edwards

Dear Santa,
I am 4. I want Daddy to be well. I want a Baby stroller and baby doll

Stephanie Edwards

Dear 'Santa' Claus,
Would you bring me some GoBots. About four of them please. I apologize for what I said about you. So would you bring me some GoBots. I just no you will.

from
Lavandis Jackson

Dear Santa,
My name is Diana Katherine Mitchell and I am 1 1/2 years old. I

can't write yet but I can talk so I am telling my Nanny what to write for me. O.K.

I want a table and chairs, a rainbow bright doll and some dishes. I have a big cousin she is three years old. Her name is Alicia Michelle Harris and she wants the same thing I do.

Alicia lives in Calera and I live in Montevallo. But you know that Santa because you know everything.

Love
Diana Mitchell

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bike and lots of G.I. Joe toys. My Mommy said I am good most of the time. My sister Heather wants a Cabbage Patch doll. And my brother Heath who is real old (8 years) can't make up his mind but I know he wants an Atari. He might let me play with it too! My new puppy Flash would like a bone.

Merry Christmas
to you and Mrs. Santa
Hunter Hines

Dear Santa,
You are the best Santa in the whole world. This Christmas I want barbie furniture and a radio and the game gotcha. And for my family I want them healthy.

Yours truly
Nikki Clemons

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Cabbage patch baby and rainbow brite and on more thing poochie baby doll. So would you please bring me something. I just no you will.

from
Inella Jackson

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a Gerber doll, a tea set, and a little doll. I am 3 1/2 years old and I want these toys very much.

Thank you, Merry Christmas, and I love you.

Love,
Tiffany Hendrix

Dear Santa,
I want a glo worm and pedal car.

Jeffrey Mims

Dear Santa.
My want list
Drum
car set
cement truck
glo worm
motorcycle

Jason Mims

Dear Santa.
You have always ben nice and brought me lots of toys. What I want most of all is a ten-speed please bring one. I've always wanted a ten-speed please bring it.

Dana Lawley

Dear Santa,
I Don't want much for X-mas. I just want a porclein doll to put in my doll case.

I've been good and make good grades.
P.S. I want one with a peach dress, pearls & a umbrella & a purse.

Your friend,
Jennifer Hopper

Dear Santa, From: Patti Jones
I want a Smurf pillow, a Barbie doll, a Ken doll, a care bear, a



Gift of the Magi

Yonna Nobles and Eddy Fogle rehearse a scene from 'The Gift of the Magi,' a Christmas production of the Sonshine Company from the Pelham

United Methodist Church. The play will be staged at the church Dec. 23 at 6 p.m. For more information, call the church at 663-3309.

new bike a little set of Poochie stamps. Age 8:

Patti Jones

Hy My name is Richard Steve Powers

And I want a cabbage patch doll a glow worm a glow baby a strawberry shortcake doll a baby skates doll and a bag of cars.

Thank you Santa
P.S. I will leave a box of candy for you.

Dear Santa,
My name is Brian Byrd. I am 6 1/2 years old. I am in the First grade at Inverness Elementary School. I have been a good boy this year. For Christmas I would like some walkie-talkies, a tape recorder, a LSU football uniform, some Super Heros, and a surprise. Thank you very much.

Also for my little brother Bradley, who is 2 1/2 years old, please bring a choo-choo train and a toy 3-wheeler.

We will leave cookies and milk for you

Love,
Brian and Bradley Byrd

Dear Santa,
Will you get me five things for Christmas day? May I have five My little ponies, a pack of stationery, some dolls, some clothes and some candy and gum.

Thank you
Holly Crawford

Dear Santa,
I would like a doll. and a little ring. I love Christmas so much! I wish it was every day. My friend was born on December 1, 1975. Her name is Kim Meeks. She is 9 years old. I want the ring with a diamond in it please.

Love,
Reyna Lewis

Dear Santa,
Me and my Mother and my sister and Dad cant wate till you come. I am hoping to see you to. I want some G.I. Joe men for Christmas. My sister is wanting a mira that goes on the wall and a bullaten bord. My mother want's a camra of some cind and that's all for my family. im felling bad becals me dad does not want enay thing and I want to no if you could get Him some new tools pleas.

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Matt Grogan



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New courthouse no obligation

by K.A. Turner

The Shelby County Commission continues to investigate the possibility of a new courthouse facility, but is no longer under legal obligation to do so.

The commissioners were told Monday that a federal suit filed recently by a Calera woman has been dismissed from federal court.

Mrs. L.H. Hill, who said she is handicapped, filed suit against the county in late October because the courtrooms were not accessible to her. The 68-year old woman cited lung problems as the reason she could not reach the second story court rooms.

Last Friday, federal judge Acker dismissed the case with prejudice from his courtroom.

Despite hearing that "good news" from county attorney Frank "Butch" Ellis, the commission indicated a willingness to pursue plans for a new courthouse.

Commissioner John Ames reported results from a meeting held with Probate Judge Tommy Snowden, Circuit Court Judge Kenneth Ingram, and local attorney Jim Pino. In the meeting, the four began the process of trimming the proposed courthouse facility - with its \$6-\$7 million price tag - to a scale that the county can use and afford.

The initial proposal from the architectural firm of Dampier-Harris came at the same time plans for the county jail were accepted. Those plans called for a three-story structure capable of

housing all county offices.

In his report to the commission, Ames indicated that the current plans now call for a new two-story structure that would house all of the judicial offices in the county. The current courthouse would then be renovated to house all of the administrative offices in the county.

"I think the new estimate of cost will be substantially lower," Ames said. "We have trimmed a lot of the aesthetic frills to get a building that is very functional."

"We trimmed it to pieces," Snowden said of the original plan, indicating that the cost of the project would also be cut substantially.

"It will probably be about half of that (\$6 million figure)," he said. "I would hope so at least. It will be a lot less no matter what."

Snowden also indicated that federal funds might be available to help with the renovation of the old courthouse.

Ames indicated that a more substantial report and recommendation could be ready for the commission as early as the January 14 meeting.

Snowden indicated the possibility of construction as early as the summer of 1985.

Proposed sites for the new judicial office building include the corner of the property that currently holds the county jail and the current site of the county food stamp offices.

North library gets land

by David F. Moore

A north Shelby developer has donated a site for the long proposed North Shelby County Library.

Over the weekend, Denney Barrow, who owns the Cahaba Company, agreed to donate about one and a quarter acres

next to the North Shelby County Fire District station number two, near the intersection of State 119 (Cahaba Valley Road) and County 29 (Caldwell Mill).

Barrow made the donation with the stipulation that the deed be transferred to the county before the close of 1984. Mon-

day, the Shelby County Commission agreed to the arrangement.

"I thought it was the best Christmas present we've ever gotten," said Shelby County Library Director Nancy Woosley.

"We've been trying for two years to establish a library in that end of the county. This is the first break that we've really had."

Woosley said that Friends of the North Shelby Library would meet Thursday, Jan. 17, to discuss the next step in the realization of the proposed library.

A consultant from the Alabama Public Library Service is expected to be at the meeting to review availability of federal funds for construction.

Woosley said that \$421,430 in matching money has already been made available to the state for use in 1985 for library construction. The money, she said, will be granted on a needs basis, and not per capita income.

The Alabama Department of Public Safety has estimated that 16 people will lose their lives in traffic accidents during the upcoming Christmas holidays.

The 102-hour holiday period begins at 6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 21, and ends at midnight Tuesday, Dec. 22.

Bill

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"Practically everybody down here recognizes there is a problem, that co-employee lawsuits are holding industry back," said Sen. Frank "Butch" Ellis, who served on the committee with Tanner. He said his main concern with the proposed bill is

that the increase in benefits appears to be only about five percent, overall.

The bill was introduced Monday night in the house, and expected to go Tuesday for a report from the judiciary committee, of which Tanner is a member.



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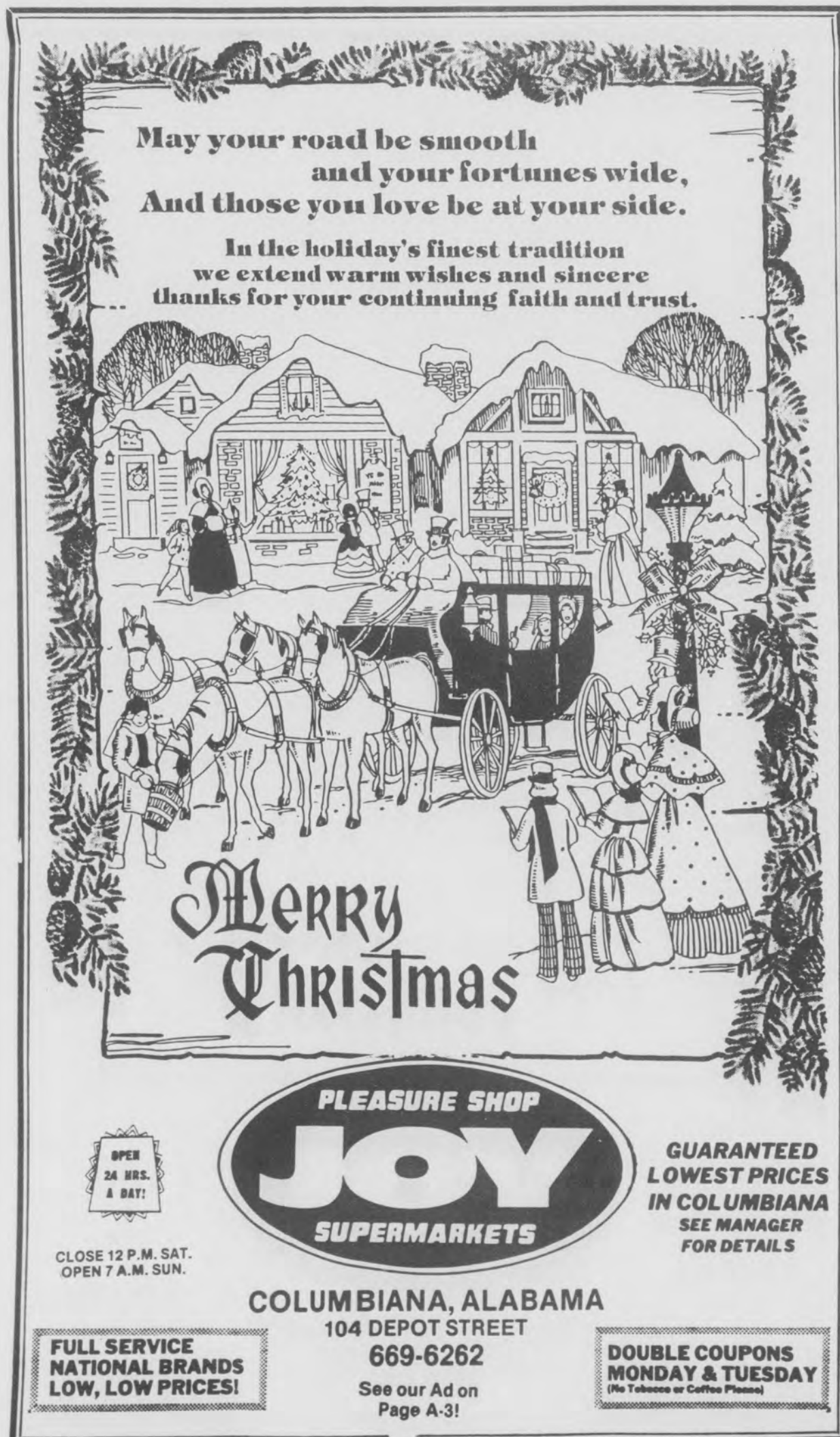
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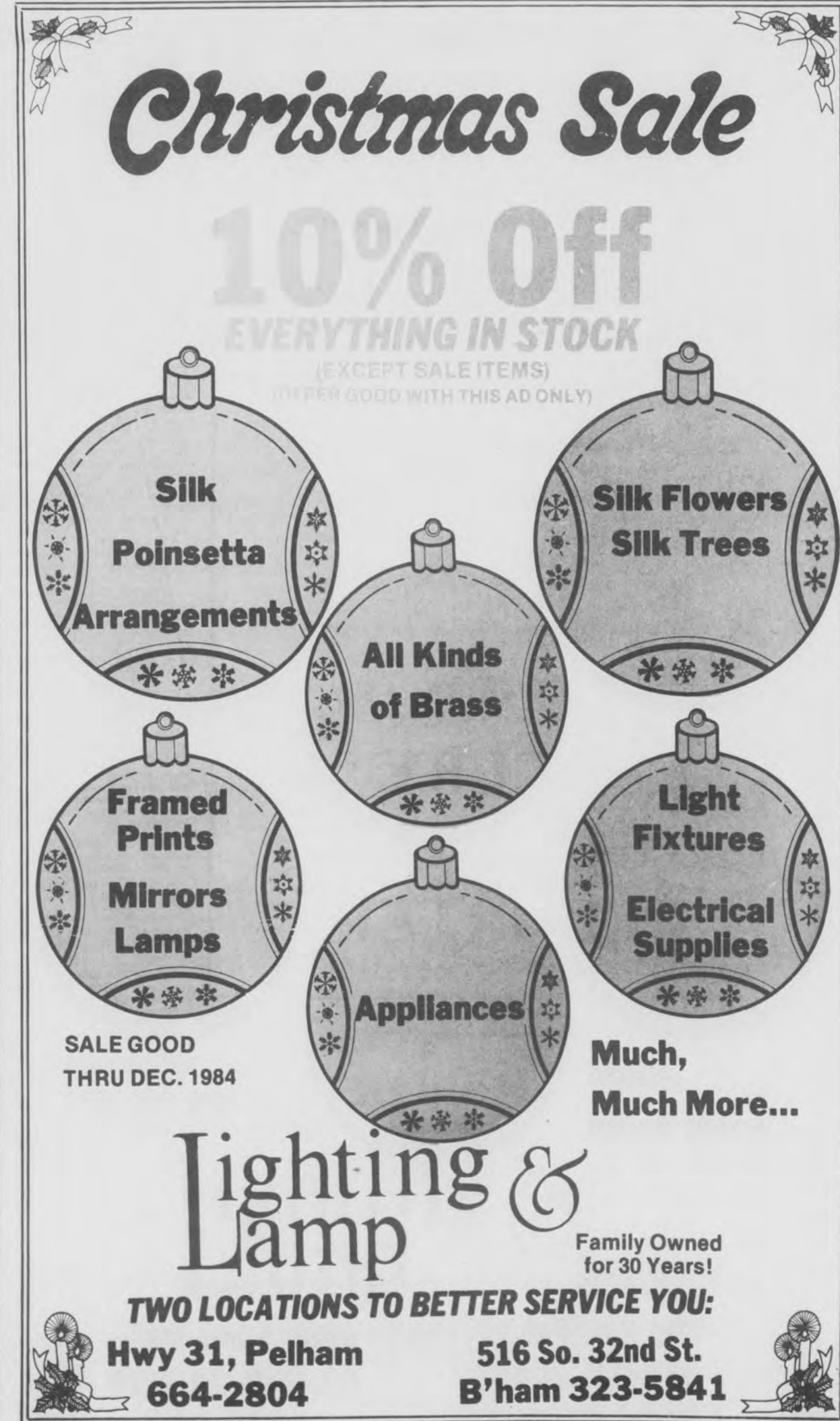
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X-tra Section

Ho, ho, ho! Lots of letters
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Shelby County People

Holcombe: A spirit renewed

by Meg Smith

Like Santa's little helpers, Theron Holcombe is a very busy lady. A lifelong native of Shelby County — she claims to be one year younger than Methuselah — she's active both in education and civic organizations, not to mention her Christmas activities. Before her marriage she lived in Wilsonville and Columbiana, but Chelsea has been her home for more than 50 years. She is a retired elementary school teacher having taught 4th grade at Chelsea for over 25 years.

As a teacher, Holcombe has touched the lives of hundreds of people in the county. She says her students have become everything from judges to murderers.

She is still active in education as treasurer of the Shelby County Retired Teachers Association. Also, she substitute teaches at Chelsea Elementary.

"The kids come to me now and tell me their mother had me as a teacher. They all say their folks told them I have eyes in the

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Theron Holcombe
...bringing back the Christmas spirit.

(photo by Meg Smith)



Campus wreaths

Renee Dellinger of Pelham is one of the numerous students at the University of Montevallo who helped recently to make more than 100 Christmas wreaths to decorate campus buildings. All of the natural materials for the wreaths are found on the campus, and with volunteer help for decorating, the university is enjoying the sights of the season for minimal costs.

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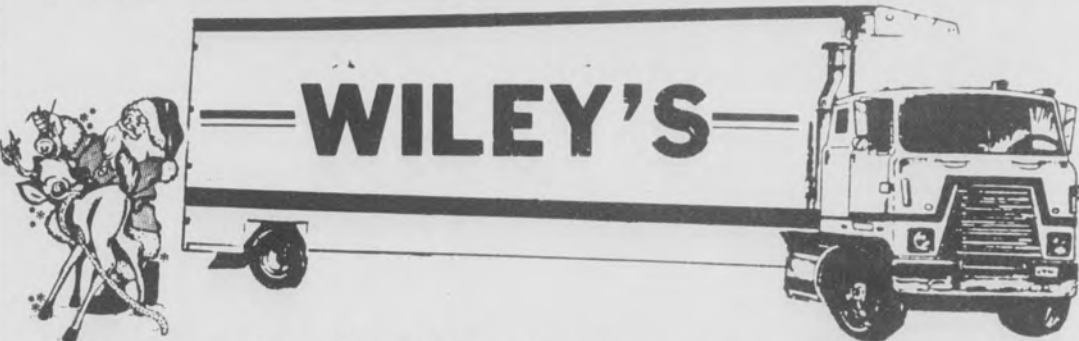
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Dear Santa...

'Half my kin lives in Shelby County'

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Lisa Kurts, is writing this letter for me.

I've been good this year. I wanna baby Cabbage Patch Kid, Poochie stamper, chipmunk, Barbie house, purple skirt, white button down shirt purple sweater, Charmkin house, Charmkins.

For my dad a new pair of shoes. For my mom a brown skirt. For my sister heart earrings. For my brother a car.

I wanna play house.

I love you
Mandy Gerchon

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend, Christie Schifanella is writing this letter for me.

Can I have a stomper, some socks, 2 bike's?

I want a red Nike shoe with cleats on bottom, Star Wars people and a battleship.

I am going to have you some oreo cookies and milk from the milk man.

And a Knight Rider big wheel, also Crest toothpaste or Aim toothpaste too.

From,
Paul Lynn

Dear Santa

I love you I want a Bear its name is Lovealot Bear. I wanta Spanish baby doll. The doll with the pierced ears and pacifier. I hope you have a safe trip I wanta fussy pin.

Love
Bonnie Millican

I'm 7.

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Jason G. is writing this letter for me.

I want a snak mouitan, talent fighter, and a star fighter G.I. Goe. The hole He-man set, I want something for mom and Dad and something for Andrew, GI Goe train set, and I want GI Goe truck, and also A-team things and also everything in Toys R us and the tack-track, G.I. Goe water glider, the A-team race track, superhang clifer.

I Benjamin will leave you some cookies, water deamer snow man pen.

Love
Ben Saunier

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Cherie Miller is writing this letter for me. I want a whole lot for Christmas.

I want a my little pony set, Night rider bigwheel, a very big doll, gymnastic mat, a strawberry shortcake dolls, a train and a playable car.

Love,
Julianne Wallace

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend, Jason Carbonie is writing this letter for me. I want a preemie and I also want a Cabbage Patch Kid Stroller. I want some more supprises.

I like you a lot and I hope to see you soon. I want a Cabbage Patch Kid bigwheel. I want a Cabbage Patch Kid backpack and a lovely new Barbie doll.

Love,
Deann LaRock

The staff at the Shelby County Reporter now has some idea of just how much work Santa has to cope with.

We said we'd run his letters for him - just to help out with the Christmas mail rush way up North - and we've been swamped. More than 70 letters appear in this week's X-tra Section, and - for those readers who don't subscribe to the full Shelby County Reporter - there's even more in the "A" Section.

Yep, Santa asked for it. And he got it.

For our part, we were glad to help. The staff got a real kick out of reading all the letters, and think our readers will, too.

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Chase Thomas is writing this letter for me.

I want a stomper water demon. I want a Police motorcycle. I want a Snoopy icemaker. I want a Snake mountain. I want a stomper workhorse. I want a little three wheeler. I also want a little football suit. I want a scary plado set. I want Zartan. I want G.I. Jo. I want a mancham and all the toys in the world.

I love you Santa Claus,
Love,
Jason DeBlanc

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Amy Davis I am 5 yrs. old. I have been a good girl this year.

I would like for you to bring me a Strawberry Short Cake doll, Tea set, Painting set, Pocket book and lots of suprise.

Thank you very much,
Amy Davis

Dear Santa,

I do not want clothes for Christmas. I want games. I want to work for you making up fun games. We play with games I made up at my house. I want a gross of dice and assorted game pieces for my homemade games.

Thanks,
Spanky Edge

P.S. I'll send you my newest game so you can give it to your elves to copy and then boys and girls all over the U.S.A. can play fun games.

Dear Santa,

I want a very pretty Christmas tree, a red wagon, 6 tiny cars and glow worm and a soft musical toy to sleep with I am 3.

Thank you,
Michael Edge

P.S. Spanky said I need a muzzle for my mouth. What's a muzzle?

Dear Santa,

I want a glow worm and some action blocks.

Thanks,
Kyle Morrison

I am 1.

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a matching set of purse, doll and dishes. Also I want a doll that wets.

Sincere thanks
Rachel Morrison

I am 1.

I want all kinds of balls 'cause I'm a sports nut. I have played in football and baseball games. So please bring me these gifts so my friends and I can play ball.

Thanks,
Gary Alexander

P.S. Half my kin lives in Shelby County, you know where I live. I am 10.

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend, Andy Thoss is writing this letter for me.

I want a bike, and some building blocks. I want a Stomper, I want a Gobot. I want Star Wars spaceships and people. I want Skeltor weapons my size, and Snake Mountain. I want He-Man telephone. I also want some toothpaste and some candy.

Brandon Blair

Dear Santa,

For christmas may I have a purse and a wallet. An atarie and in my stocking may I have lots of candy. Well, Santa I beter let you go.

By!
P.S. Merry Christmas!
P.S.SS Can I also have some make up!

Love,
Angela Horton

Dear Santa Clause,


I want a TV and a phone and a cabbage patch kid and a Barbie doll. Babby smurf and Babby Scates. I love you. Keep this letter.

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Dear Santa

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Dear Santa

'Please bring my Mom makeup'

Dear Santa

this year I wanta snoopy snow-cone machine and a choo-choo train and track alvin and the chipmunks record and 2 walkie-talkies and Legos and atari

Love
Michael and Patrick Hallisey

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Shawn Croucher is writing this letter for me.

I've been good this year. I would like a bike, Strawberry Shortcake with a bottle, Barbie dolls, stuffed animal, My Little Pony Castle, and some My Little Pony, Cabbage Patch bigwheel. I'll put some cookies and milk.

Love,
Sasha Elam

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Sharon Sautel is writing this letter for me.

I love you Santa. Could you please get me a cabbage patch kid? I would like a purse, a purple skirt. I would love to have a ghetto blaster. I'd enjoy to have a telephone, a paint pen. For my mom a makeup kit. A real neat watch for Dad. For Candis, my sister, a bracelet. A necklace for me. I would love to give David a pair of parachute pants. And last I would love for you to give Mike a paint set.

I love you,
Sara Hacker

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Candi Hacker is writing this letter for me.

I love you Santa Claus! I've been good.

I want a baby love, I want love alot Bear, I wana Strawberry Shortcake set, I wana Snoopy Snowcone Machine, I wana can-

dy cane and I wana doctor set. Bring Natalie a Crystal Barbie. Please bring my Mom makeup and my dad a yellow shirt and blue pants. Please bring Brad a He-Man set. Bring Bob a Starwars set. Bring my dog Vincy a dog house. Please bring Debra some earrings. Thank you! I'll give you some cookies and milk!

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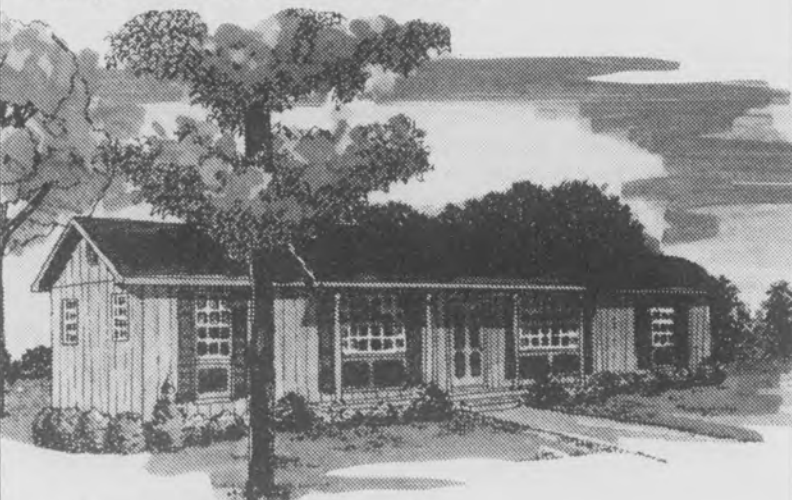
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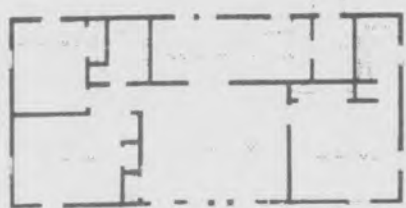
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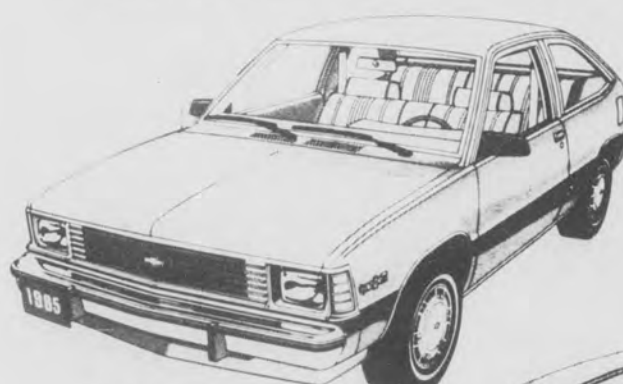
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"You have to be nice and show you know what to do," said Melissa Parks.

Nosy, snoopy, talkative, nice, and investigative," said Brandon Bristow.

"You have to be talkative when accidents happen," said Anthony Dunklin.

"Telling the truth" was the most commonly given answer to the question what a reporter should do. As for a reporter's personality, more than any other answer, students said a reporter should be nosy.

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"You have to ask questions and don't be shy," said Marti Brasher.

"You should be nosy, nice and kind," said Melanie McDougal.

"Be patient and ask lots of questions."

"You should be an honest person and should be able to talk with people and talk about interesting things," said Donnie Dickens.

"You have to be nice and show you know what to do," said Melissa Parks.

Nosy, snoopy, talkative, nice, and investigative," said Brandon Bristow.

"You have to be talkative when accidents happen," said Anthony Dunklin.

"Telling the truth" was the most commonly given answer to the question what a reporter should do. As for a reporter's personality, more than any other answer, students said a reporter should be nosy.

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Holiday tips

Checkout culinary delights at the library

by Nancy Woosley
County Library Director

Looking for a special recipe or that extra touch for entertaining as family and friends gather to exchange gifts and share in the holiday cheer? Check out the culinary delights and fabulous possibilities for stylish entertainment at the local public library.

•Martha Stewart's experiences as a successful professional caterer provided the perfect background for producing an invaluable guide in creating long-remembered special events. Her earlier book, "Entertaining," is more than just a cookbook. In it, she presents thousands of inspiring ideas on how original parties can be given for any number of occasions.

Dinner at eight is no longer the

only option for the perfect hostess, she writes. Consider the possibilities of fresh strawberries and cream on a sunny afternoon, or sumptuous hors d'oeuvres before attending a concert. More that just originality, entertaining well demands planning and organization, and Stewart offers a wealth of advice to assist even the novice hostess.

Speaking of party foods, Martha Stewart's latest is the first in a new series of food and entertaining books. "Martha Stewart's Hors D'oeuvres: The Creation and Presentation of Fabulous Finger Foods" is filled with luscious creations for tantalizing the appetite of the most finicky guest.

It features 150 recipes for delectable "finger foods" to serve at 13 different parties. The

emphasis is on methods of service for the best effect, as well as what to serve.

•If baking is the delight of the holiday season, take a look at the "Fannie Farmer Baking Book." Marion Cunningham has managed to excel with a baking book that Fannie Farmer could easily have written but didn't.

You're sure to find many standard favorites among the 800 recipes. Separate chapters cover pies, cookies, cakes, yeast breads, and quick breads in reassuring detail.

•Staying closer to home, the Friends of the Library in Montevallo have prepared a cookbook stocked full of the personal favorites and specialties of the members. Arriving just in time for holiday gift-giving, "Favorite Foods From Our Friends" features 'mouth water-

ing' recipes and tips to make food preparation a successful adventure.

They're currently on sale for \$5.00 each. Call the Parnell Memorial Library (665-7794) or contact any member of the Friends group. Orders by mail will also be accepted by including \$1.00 postage with the purchase price. Send orders to: Parnell Memorial Library, 160 Valley Street, Montevallo, Alabama 35115.

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From: Melanie Massey

Dear Santa,

This is what I want, weaving loom and makit bakit oven and my friend Mandy and my firend Jenny Kitt and Kaboodle Mattel Barbie Dream Bed and Dream Pool and Loving you Barbie and Silver Vette and Crystal Ken and Crystal Barbie and a Watch.

Love Christie Ann Massey

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend, Kelly Burleson is writing this letter for me.

I would like a G.I. Joe jet and a G.I. Joe motorcycle. I'd also like some G.I. Joe camouflage shoes, with strings. You can get these at Parisian. Please bring a purse for my sister and a hat. I love you.

Love

Michael Imhof

Dear Santa Claus,

My Fith grade friend Michael Natter is writing this letter for me. I want a TV, coreal, telephone, stomper, boys ring and a Dog for my sister she wants a red purse and lots of candy for my cosin he want a Big Foot. I also want one.

For my Brother Brandon he wants a tv. For my other Brother he wants a stario.

I want a race track and a picture of Santa Claus.

For my Mother a toster My sister wants a three wheeler.

I want a float square also stuff your face.

Mike Shirley

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grader friend, J.J. Ahearn, is writing this letter for me.

I would like goalie gloves. I have a big, big, big Christmas tree. I am six years old. I will be asleep.

I would like a G.I. Goe train set. I want candy and stuff in my stocking.

I am going to have angels around the big tree. Santa Claus please bring me the Attak Track.

Love,

David Montgomery

Dear Santa Claus,

My fifth grade friend, Anna Koopman is witing this letter for me.

I have been good. I love you too. Thank you for toys.

I wanna three-wheeler and He-man figures. I wanna Snoopy ice-maker and a tape recorder. I also

wanna Thriller tape and Star Wars records. I'm sorry I'm goin' on so long for I want a lot of stuff.

I wanna castle Gray Skull and Snake Mountain. I also wanna big foot, crayons, coloring book, legos, puzzles, dominoes, football, baseball, bat, baseball, small chalk board and chalk and scary playdoo. That's all.

I love you
Christian Maniscalco

Dear Santa Claus,

My 5th grade friend Jason Moon is writing this letter for me. I'd like a transformer, a Cobra Headquarters, a Flame Thrower (robot) a Gi-joe Jeep, a Stomper Workhorse, a Football Hut, a Play three wheeler, a scary playdough, and a Snake Mountain. I have been a good boy.

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"Love Came Down at Christmas" is an arrangement of living pictures and choral speak-

ing performed by the students. This production is a bi-annual yuletide tradition at the Institute.

Scenes will include "Angels Appear to the Shepherds," "Adoration of the Wise Men" and "For Unto Us a Child is Born." ASD supervising teacher Connie Barnes directs this year's production, and instructors Tina Mills and Barbara Klinghard are in charge of the choral group. For more information call: 362-1500.

Dear Santa...

Dear Santa,

Please bring me these gifts for Christmas. I want a Cabbage Patch doll (the red-headed one). A stuffed Garfield, Cabbage Patch beauty kit. Strawberry Shortcake sleeping bag. 22 piece Cook and Clean Carry Kitchen, Mickey Mouse Talking Phone, I also want a lot of surprises and my stocking filled, I have been a good girl.

My name is Alaina Perkins I am 3 years old, and I have a baby brother, his name is Travis he cannot talk yet, please bring him a lot of gifts he can play with.

I love you,
Alaina

P.S. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Cabbage Patch doll, (the bald headed one), Strawberry Shortcake stove set, a stuffed elephant. A bead machine and a Cabbage Patch beauty kit. I want a lot of surprises and my stocking filled. I have been a very good girl.

My name is: Candace Perkins I am 5 years old.

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Candace

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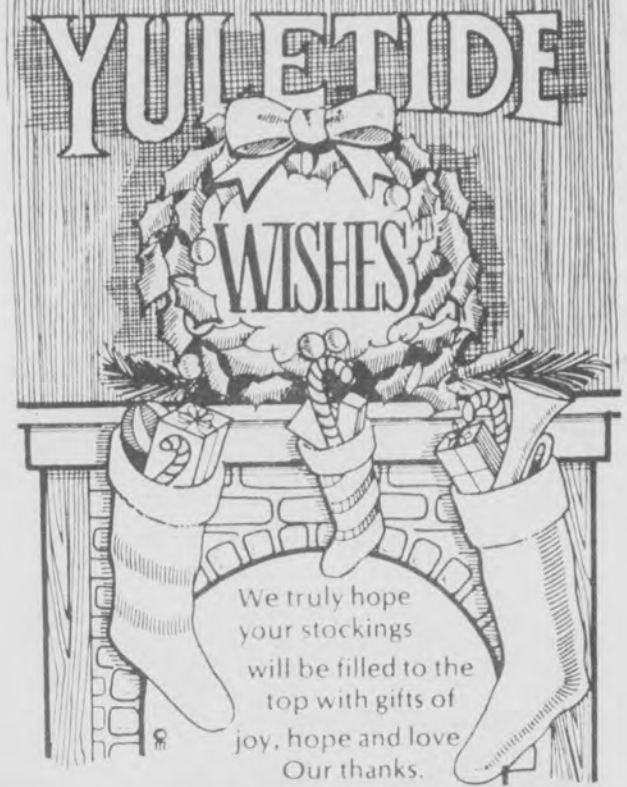
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Dear Santa, name is Danny Griffin and I am only 4 yrs old so mommy is writing this letter for me. I have been a pretty good boy this year. There are a few special things I would like for Christmas.

They are: G.I. Joe tent, He-man people, Snake mountain and some suprizes. I'm trying to mind mommy and daddy. We will have some cookies and milk for you and some raisins for your reindeer.

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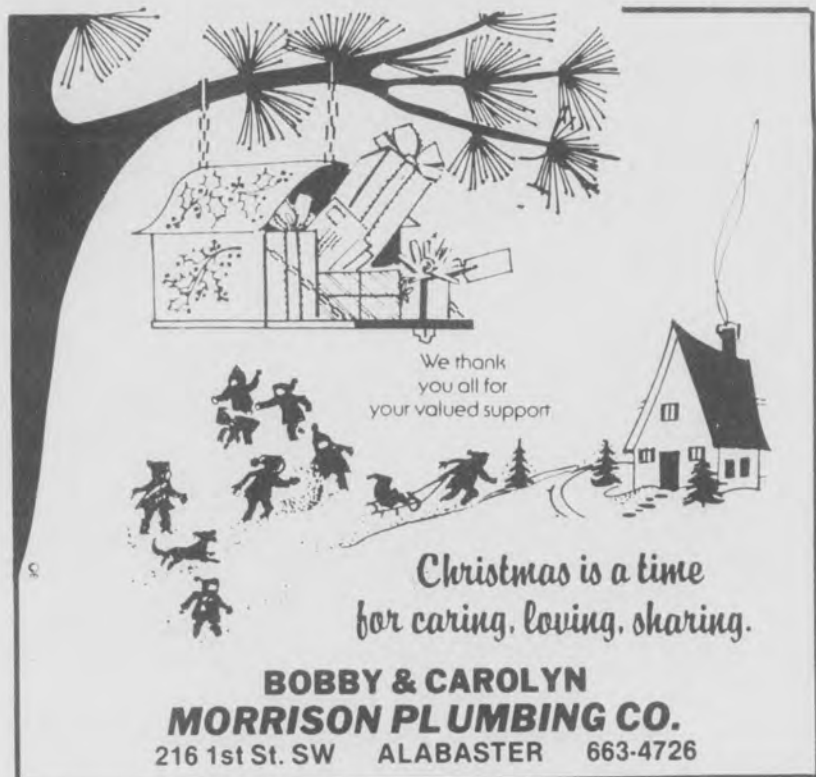


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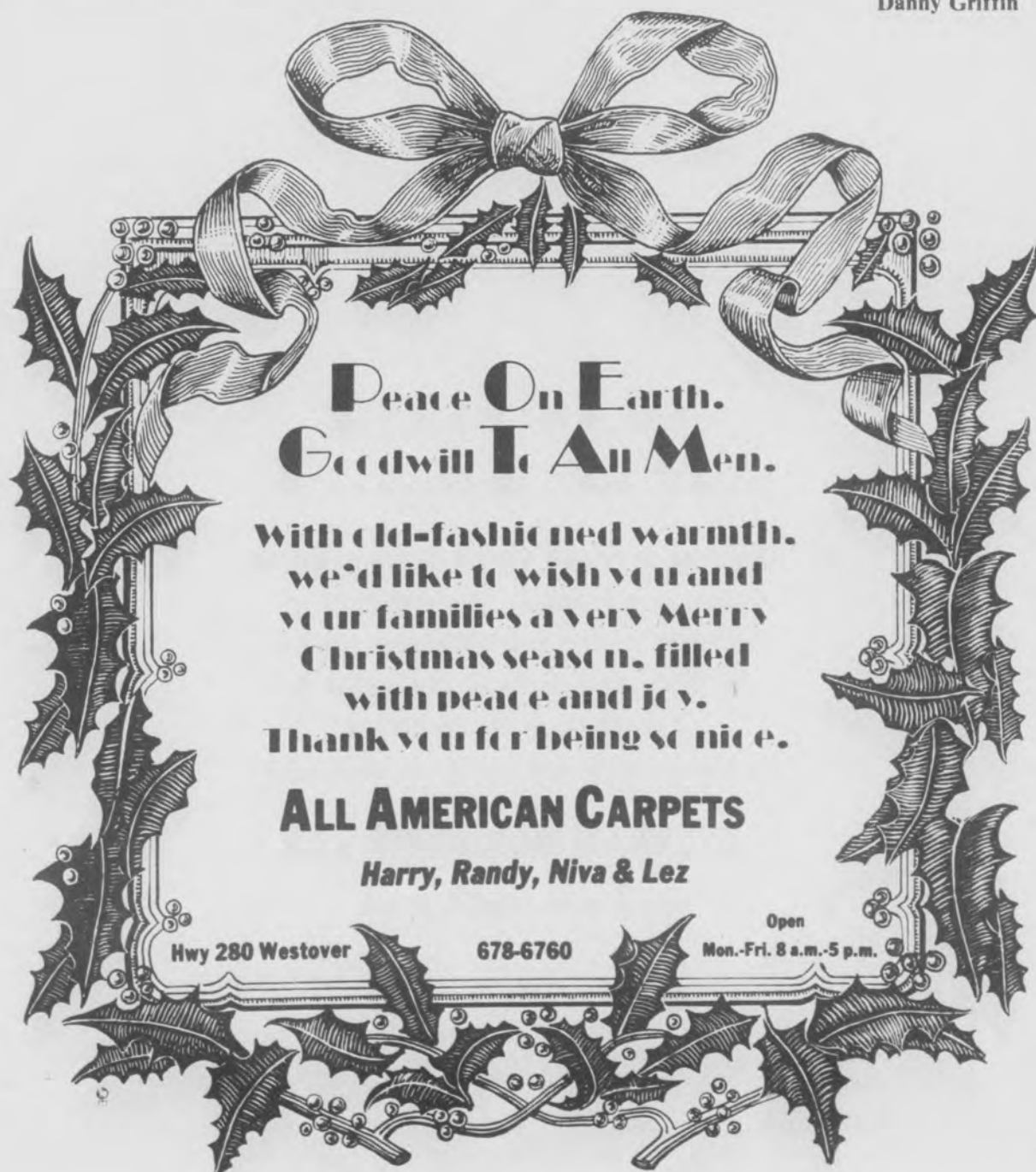
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Gabrielle Metz, Kristy Phillips, Daniel Schwietzer, Joy Draper, Jason Boyd, Shelly Glenn, Donald Nalley, Shelena Smith, Curtis Tyus.

Dear Santa, ...

Dear Santa Claus,

I have been a good girl this year! Please send me alot of presents this year.

I would like some candy, a doll, and some balloons, and alot of other stuff. I have been a good girl, I haven't done anything bad this year! Bye, Bye.

Love "ya"
Holly
Marie
Frost

Dear Santa,

I want a Jam Box and some money. How can you live in the North Pole. It's said that no man can live up there. And beside's redeer can't fly. And I've never seen a deer with a red nose. Oh, I almost forgot I want some transoformer and G.I. Joe men.

Love Santa
Adam Cochran

Dear Santa,

I hope you will bring me some presents Santa, I hope you will bring other children presents too.

Don't forget to let Rudolph be at the beginning of your sled O.K. Santa.

Love,
Renea

Dear Santa,

I can't wait to Christmas. because I want a lot of stuff.

Just one of them is a Jambox. I've been good this year. I'm going to leave some milk on the table for you and some cookies.

Love,
Leigh Stone

Dear Santa,

Santa I have been good this year. In school my teachers are nice. I have a supriz for yo at home. Here is my teacher's name. Home room Mrs. Turner, reading Mrs. Montgomery, math Mrs. Allen. I like Mrs. Montgomery best. I want a motorcycle, Transformers and that is not

all I have to go to P.E.

Love your best friend,
Mike Zelwak



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September good citizens

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Lawley, DaJuan Chappell, Krishun Hudson, Brandon Elliott, Kathy Weese, Lisa Milano, Brad Rogers, Robert Carlee, Meredith Cobb, Tanya Lilly, Tim Jones, Rodney Craig, Beth Neal, Denise Carter, Danny Reid, Tracy Battle, Mike Reid, Christy Holsomback, Bryan Cannatella, Shelena Smith, Brian Thompson.

Dear Santa... 'I-will-leave-you-some-milk-and-cookies'

Dear Santa
Please Bring Me a Knight Rider Kit Car. A guitar And a Pick. A Zaratan, A Care Bear love a lot Bear,
I Am 6 Years Old.
Thank You

Joey Brian Pate

Daddy something., signed,
We've Been good,
Preston Joiner and Brandon

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a heman Sword, A-team Van With action figures, and a racing track set.

Thankyou,
Bryan Keith McDonald

Dear, Santa Claws
I would like a bubbling spa, a Chatty Patty, some electric hair rollers, and a cabbage patch doll. I will leave you some cookies and milk. I will leave your raindeer some raisens.

Love
Kimberly Denise Nolen

Dear Santa
I want a Rainbow Brite Bride Doll My Little Pony Castle My Little Pony Sea Pony Strawberry House and Strawberry People. Rainbow Brite clothes for me and my sister. Rainbow Brite Horse 2 of them. 2 Rainbow Brites.

My little sister wants a Care Bear Rainbow Brite Baby doll Walking doll Lucky Sprite

My little brother Bobby wants Clothes Teddy Bear Rattles Toys

He's ten months old, my sister Robin is 2 year old, and I'm 5 years old my name is Regina.

Regina, Robin and Bobby Salers
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Dear Santa

I would like you too Bring Me a remote Control Car. Clothes, a michal Knight race track games, shoes and suprize, Me With other gooDies andD Dont forget My little Brother, he wants sarun ring Car, gloworm, a riDeing Car andD suprizes andD Bring mommy, andD

dear Santa
My name is **Chuck Beane**. I am 7 years old. I wanta football, Bigfoot, bicycle, night 2000, Prince tape, Parachute Pants, and a doll and other toys for My Little Sister Lindsie.

I ama good Boy.

Love Chuck

Dear Ho-Ho,

I am 2 years old and have been a very good boy. for Christmas I need alot of toys, especially a CHOO-CHOO train. Give Mrs. Ho-Ho a kiss for me.

Thank you,
Justin McLaurin

P.S. Sister needs a big doll.

Dear Santa

This is my list

(1) ET or cabbage patch skates.

(2) Real make-up like mommy's.

(3) Gizmo playing the organ.

(4) a doll playing house

(5) a doll bed

(6) some books
(7) clothes
From: **Christy L. Wilcox**

Dear Santa Claus,

I enjoyed seeing you and your reindeer. I have been a good boy and I love Santa Claus.

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That's all. I will leave some cookies and milk for you by the fireplace and some carrots for the reindeer.

Merry

Christmas

Love

Kevin McCroskey

Dear Santa,

I have three Sisters and three brothers. I don't know what they all want so I'm writing for my little sister and brother.

My little sister **Nora** wants a skating doll and a dog that walks and barks.

My little brother **Doug** wants a battery operated three wheeler.

My name is **Samantha** and I want a skating doll too.

Merry Christmas Santa Claus.

Love you,
Samantha Dodd

P.S. Santa please bring Mr. Moore a new camera bag. I know

his been good. He put your message in the paper so all the little children could write you.

Dear Santa

My name is **Tracy White**, I am 8 years old and I go to Shelby Elementary School. I'm in the third grade. You can bring me anything for Christmas. But what I would like most, to have if you could. Bring home my mother my father and my baby brother home from Germany. This would be my happiest Christmas of all! I love you Santa!

Love
Tracy

Dear-Santa,

My-name-is-Sarah-Pickett-I-am-four. I-want-a-baby-doll, table & chairs & a glow-worm.

I-have-been-good!

I-will-leave-you-some-cookies.

Love
Sarah
Pickett

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Dear Santa ... 'I've been waiting all year'

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Patshe a house? 11 Bribes? a sleeping bag? a raido with ear phones? a Baby Doll? a Bribe hourse? a get a long gang Doll? and a happy new year?
Love
Melanie Vanderslice

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a good Christmas! And a happy new year. I want a basket ball and a basket ball goal, a watch, a oto,bot, a cosmobot, toy and thats all. But one more thing and this is going to be a be, be, pelat gun! I like be, be guns. That is the best I think. It would stay in my closet. I like it in the closet becuse my sister won't get it.
Love
Brian

because you bring toys to little boys and girls. Will you bring me a Barbia doll?
Love
Ginger Shelton

Dear Santa,
I have liked the presents you have given me every year. This year I want 3 transformers, a Knigh Rider romalt controlled car, a roboteck, and a dart set. I am looking forward to it.
Love
Kevin Beasley

Dear Santa,
I cannot stand the time until Christmas. I want a Rainbow Brite Doll and a trampoline. I know that you have lots of presentes to take to little kids. I have to go bye-bye.
Love,
Stacey Seales

Dear Santa,
I hope I have been good enough to get what I want. I only want two things most of all, that is a threeweeler and some walkey talkeys.
Love
Chris Colburn

Dear Santa,
I hope i have been good since last Christmas. I wouldlike to have a Jam Box, and a Barbie named Dream Barbie, and a Cabbage Patch, I think your jolly and cute. I hope you have a very merry and jolly Christmas!!
Your friend
Cortney Perrin

Dear Santa,
I want a big radio for Christmas. My dad said they cost too much. My mom said that maybe you would bring me one, if I was a good girl. I also wish that I had a red haired Cabbage Patch kid that has a pasifier in her mouth. I have two Cabbage Patch kids. One has a pasifier it's a Premie. And I have a blond haired one, too.
Love
Piper Cumbo

Dear Santa,
I've been waiting for Christmas all year. Tell Rodolph you and him to make anther film about Christmas. I got all the records of Christmas. I really like Christmas. This is what I want for Christmas. Charmkins, Cabbag Patch kid and a big, big play house.
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Jenny Emmons
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Love
Kim Davis

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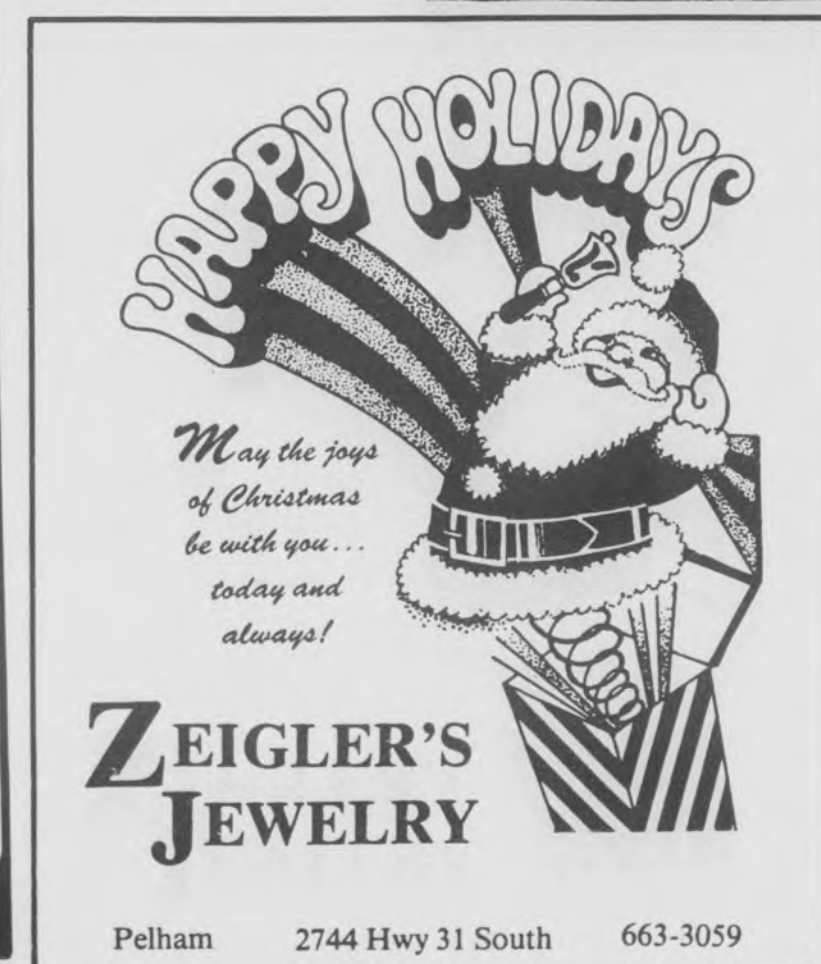
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Farrah Oliver i

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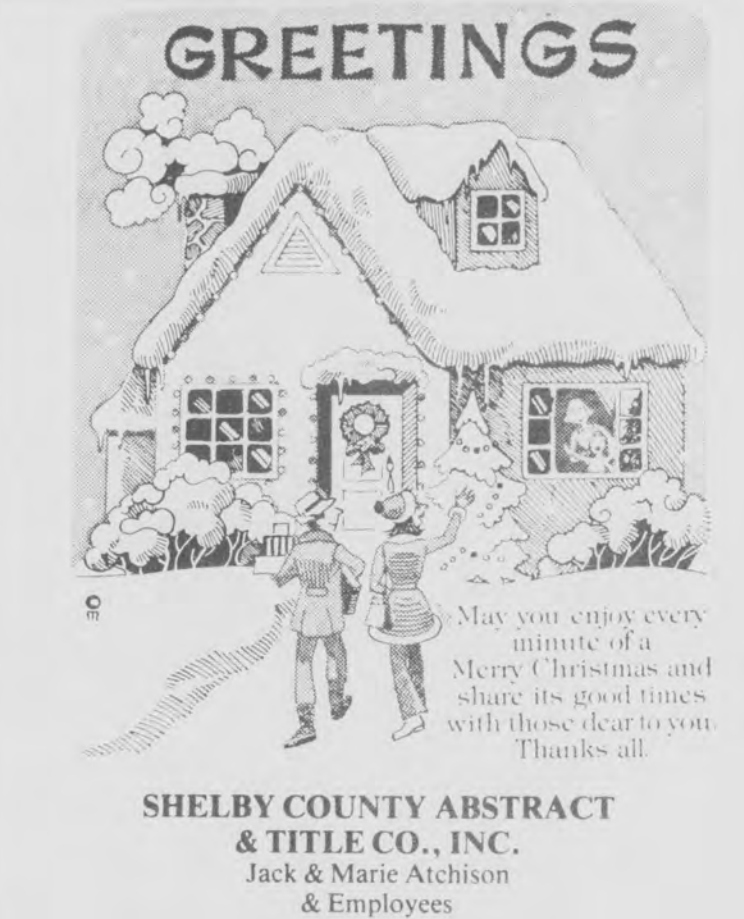
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Thompson Civitans

Thompson Middle School students Nikki Price, Michelle Kent, Amy Tucker and Kevin Flynn pack up a box for the Toys for Tots project. The students are officers of the school's Junior Civitan club.

TMS club helps community

A Thompson Middle School club organized two years ago reaches out beyond the confines of the school. Junior Civitans work in the community to make Thanksgiving and Christmas a happier occasion for needy families.

And its through those efforts that the junior members of Civitan International carry out the club's purpose of developing good citizenship.

When the club received its charter this month, Alabaster resident Walt Davis, who is president elect of Civitan International, was on hand for the occa-

sion and so was Helen Atkins, Junior Civitan chairman for Alabama Central District.

Debbie Patterson, who co-sponsors the organization along with Ralph Vogel, explains that members of the organization are sixth graders with A-B averages.

Carrying out the club motto of "Builder of Good Citizenship," Patterson said that members do service projects both in the school and in the community.

The TMS club's 37 members are led by officers Nikki Price, president; Kevin Flynn, vice-president; Michelle Kent, secretary; Amy Tucker, projects chairman.

Members are: Karen Scurlock, Patsi Forlines, Jim Gaydon, Todd Miller, Bo Mills, Marcie Cox, Leigh Mercer, Kristi Dennis, Chris Caldwell, Allison Sides, Janee Dickenson.

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'Bring me a Boom Box'

Dear Santa,

I wish for you to bring me a Chatty Patty, and Cabbage Patch kid. I hope to see you soon. I would like to get a picture taken with you too. On Christmas it's not just toys it's celebrating Jesus' birth. A very good friend of mine was born Feb. 7, 1976 Reyna Lewis. She and I get along very well.

Love,
Andrea Hughins

Dear Santa,

Bring me a Boom Box for Christmas, some taps, some G.I. Joe thins, some G.I. Joe cars. I wish today was Christmas. Don't you wish it was? Santa when were you born? Get me anything for Christmas. Please get me some people.

Love,
Chris Tinsley

Dear Santa,

I want a G.I. Joe base, and a G.I. Joe Jet, and I would like a trance former. Santa how are your elfs doing how are your reindeers doind and have a good Christmas.

Love me,
from Chad Yancy

Dear Santa,

You are my friend. I need some toys this year for Christmas? And also paints, shirts, socks, and a bmx bike this year? We are making letters to friends and you.

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Dear Santa,

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Your friend
Heath Hines

Dear Santa,

I want a Smurf clock, a Poochie stamp, Chatti Patti, I would like a sleeping Bag, On ye and I have a friend named Kim Davis and she is very nice too me at school she is so sweet wel thats all for now!

Love,
Patti Jones

Dear Santa,

I wish that I could have a Cabbage Patch Kid. A cheerleader suit for her. Sorry, I am going to my Grandparents house for Christmas.

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Holcombe

back of my head," she laughs.
"I used to tell them it wasn't eyes in the back of my head, it was Dick Tracy glasses."
Holcombe never believed in paddling. Instead, she made misbehaving students clean the breezeway or sweep the length of the hall.

"When you paddle a child he forgets about it as soon as you're done. But let him pick up every speck of paper from the breezeway, then he's got time to think about what he's done."
Holcombe knows a lot about children and believes in education. She still takes college classes to continue her education.

She once took classes in a special program at the University of Montevallo at the same time two of her children and three of her grandchildren were in school there.

"I hope I've built up pleasant memories for my grandchildren," she says. "When you get to be my age you need lots of pleasant memories."

Some of those memories come from the Christmas cookie parties she used to give her grandchildren.

"I'd make up the dough and get out all the decorating things and let the kids make their own cookies," she smiles.

Christmas has always been a special occasion at the Holcombe house.

"My husband loved company of any kind, but especially the family at Christmas."

Since her husband died nine years ago, she hasn't decorated her own home, except with a small ceramic tree.

Instead, she put her energies into helping decorate Liberty Baptist Church in Chelsea, where she has been a member for over 50 years. She helped several of the women of the church tat and crochet special white ornaments - all symbols from the Bible.

This year saw some changes in Holcombe's usual holiday activities. For the first time since her husband died, she brought the Christmas spirit into her home full force.

Last week she hosted Holiday House in her home, and that project has caused her to be busier than ever.

She was inspired to tackle the job by a similar project which she saw in Thorsby last year. As an officer in the Hixie Anna No. 490 Order of the Eastern Star, Holcombe saw an opportunity to raise funds for that group's Heart and Cancer Fund. Holcombe feels very strongly about research for heart disease and cancer.

"We must do something to cure or prevent these diseases," she says.

Holcombe worked for months on Holiday House, making decorations and preparing her home for the public - a project she says she couldn't have done alone.

"Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Belew and Mrs. Ruby Moore (all from Harpersville) were just more than helpful!"

Between working on Holiday House and tending her garden and fruit trees, Holcombe hasn't done any teaching this year.

Now that the project is complete and Christmas is just ahead, Holcombe says she hopes her life will settle into its normal routine. She said she looks forward to substitute teaching again.

Dear Santa... 'Oh Oh Oh'

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Santa,
I want a doll, alot of toys a ring, some clothes, some games, some doll clothes, a Care Bear, some Rainbow birght sofe, some school sofe, some Lee's, some bottles for my baby doll's.

Love you,

Lori Sangilantonio

Dear Santa,
I will be glad when you come because I can't wait to open my presents and play with them. I hope I get a Chatti Patti and Cabige Patch Kid.

I especially want a pair of shoes.

I love you Santa.
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Love,
Rhonda Humphrey

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Santa... 'I have been mean'

Dear Santa,

My mom says she is not going to put up an x-mas tree, so that means you wont come to my house, but if you do, please bring me a stomper, some big trucks, and a A-team van. I will be looking for you.

T.J. Horton

Dear Santa Claus,

I have been mean and I have been good, but I have been good most of the time. I would like to have a Barbie Cat, P.J. and Todd doll, Radio, shoes, coat and Barbie clothes. I will try to be better. I will have you some pie to eat and cofee to drink.

Love Stacey Horton

Dear Santa

My name is Fallon Martin. I'm one year old and I live in Pelham. My mommy is helping me write this because I'm too little to write. But like all the other boys and girls I want just a few things for Christmas. Since I'm so little there's not to much I could have, anyway not much I could say that I want yet. So I would like to have a doll, stroller, tyke bike, vacuum to help my mommy, and a phone to call my daddy. But more than anything I would like for my daddy to be home for Christmas. He joined the National Gaurds and has been gone for a long time. And I sure do love and miss him a lot. So, Santa if my daddy could come home that would be the best present of all and I would be one happy little girl.

Love
Fallon

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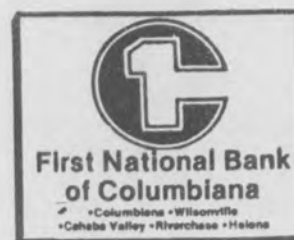
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Med center tackles money, indigents

by David F. Moore

One Shelby Medical Center board member described the hospital's financial situation this way: SMC has its nose out of the water, but just barely.

In their audit report to the board at its Dec. 18 meeting, its Carlton Moore and Tommy Canaday & Moore, said several million in "free medical care"

•The number of patient days declined 20 percent, following national trends;

•And, like hospitals across the country, the onslaught of new federal and private insurance reimbursement procedures had taken their toll.

On the bright side of things, Moore said that unlike many county hospitals, SMC's balance sheet was in good shape, showing a 2.93:1 ratio of current assets to liabilities.

The SMC board has \$16 million in equity of a total in assets of about \$31 million, he said.

On the bad side of things, the audit showed that while the hospital was \$1.2 million in the black for this year, that figure is down from \$1.6 million in 1983.

Moore said two things kept SMC in the black this year: the board's investments and the approximate \$1.2 million it received in tax revenue.

For 1984, the audit showed a \$400,000 loss in revenues to expenses. Compared to 1983's \$592,000 excess in revenues to expenses, Moore said that represents nearly a \$1 million swing to

the negative.

SMC administrator Norman Price noted that in 1983, prior to his administration, the hospital had incorrectly figured that it was in a bonus situation with Medicare cost report adjustments, while in fact, it was in a penalty situation.

This resulted in a \$700,000 back payment in 1984, Moore said.

"We danced in 1983," Price said. "We paid for it in 1984."

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Ballard takes reins at SMC

by David F. Moore

Shelby Medical Center's board of directors launched a search committee to locate a replacement administrator. In the meantime, it appointed board member Doug Ballard as temporary chief executive officer.

Norman Price resigns that position at the first of the year to head up a regional medical center in McCombs, MS. Ballard has agreed to serve in his place without pay.

Ballard, who lives near Moore's Cross Road's, was instrumental in the founding of Brookwood Medical Center and served on its board until some three years ago. He was named in October to the SMC board by Shelby County Commission Chairman Tommy Snowden.

The appointment of the interim hospital head came Dec. 18 through a resolution made by board member Reid Long, and seconded by Tom Stubbs and Pete Raughley.

Board member Lou Workman objected to the appointment on the grounds that a member of Ballard's family owns a hospital equipment company, and that recently Ballard was the only board member not to vote for a resolution banning the sell of SMC without a vote of the people.

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Spirit of '85

1985! A brand new year bursts on the scene with a sparkle of fire. It also carries with it a New Year's Wish from the staff of the Reporter, most of whom co-operated to take the picture. The elegant writing is compliments of David F. Moore. Background explosions were provided

by Meg Smith, Paula Seale (with help from her husband Mark), and Cynthia Segers. Jim Parks took the picture, but he used K.A. Turner's camera. In this spirit of cooperation, the staff of the Reporter would like to wish you a happy 1985.

News briefs

New Year deadlines

The Shelby County will observe an early printing schedule for the January 3 edition because New Year's Day falls on Tuesday, our normal printing day.

Today's edition of the Reporter also was printed early because of the Christmas holiday.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles for the Jan. 3 X-tra Section is noon Friday, Dec. 28.

Deadline for all display advertising and news articles, including church and social, and classified ads for the A-Section also is noon, Friday, Dec. 28.

Our office will be closed Tuesday, Jan. 1, and will reopen at 8 a.m. Jan. 2.

We ask that our advertisers and readers cooperate with this holiday schedule.

UM has new PBX system

The University of Montevallo has a new telephone system which allows incoming calls to be made directly to the desired campus office.

The direct inward dialing telephone system, installed Dec. 10, eliminates the need for all incoming calls to go through the campus switchboard.

The new telephone directories will include detailed listings of campus phone numbers. The main campus number has been changed from 665-2521 to 665-6000.

Persons desiring to call a specific office on campus should dial 665-6 plus the office's regular extension number.

Hall of Fame

When the Kentucky Wildcats and the Wisconsin Badgers kickoff the eighth annual Hall of Fame Bowl game Saturday, many Shelby countians will be there to watch.

A few Shelby countians will watch with even more interest as they see their plans and hard work pay off.

See story about county involvement with the HOF on Page A-6.

Weather

Warmer and wetter than normal is the prediction for January. The National Weather Service says a mild, wet winter is ahead for Alabama. Temperatures and precipitation will be above average through mid-January.

Pelham: speed, zoning

by Bert Seaman

Pelham council members turned their attention to zoning and the speed limits on several county roads at last Monday's meeting.

The council approved two zoning changes - one on Valledale Road, the other on Valledale Terrace.

Concerning the change on Valledale Terrace, the council's planning and zoning board representative Ken Maynard, said everyone had thought all the property in that area was zoned light industrial.

When it was learned that a small parcel behind 84 Lumber, off old U.S. 31, was still zoned general business, the council agreed to change it to conform to zoning in the surrounding area.

On the other request for a zoning change, Eddings and Lee, operators of a bus sales business on State 31 and County 261, wanted nearby property they owned zoned general business.

At the present time, that property is zoned agricultural.

Two public hearings for changes in zoning were scheduled for the Jan. 21 council meeting.

One is a request for a zoning change on Valleyview Drive from multi-family to single family; the other is to change property on County 361 from residential to agricultural.

Mayor Bobby Hayes, who chairs the city's planning and zoning board, said that the zoning board recommended that the zoning on Valleyview Drive remain multi-family.

If it were changed, he explained, it would be considered non-conforming since other immediate property is zoned multi-family. Hayes said that on non-conforming property, a home cannot, under state law, be rebuilt should it be destroyed by natural causes such as a fire or tornado.

No one requesting the change was present when the board met to discuss the matter, Hayes said.

The other zoning change to be voted on

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Calera turns out to help Norris family

by David F. Moore

Spanky and the gang appeared last Thursday to be on their way to having a merry Christmas.

Response from the Calera community and other concerned citizens around the county has at least temporarily improved the plight of a woman who thought social workers would take away two of her children before Christmas.

Unemployed Lyla Norris, 41, of 9th Ave. Calera, said that after news of her situation broke last Wednesday in a newspaper article, neighbors and strangers began showing up at the door of the house she shares with her son, Spanky, 14, her unofficially adopted Michael, 3, and her twin sister, Lyda.

The visitors, she said, brought food, toys and clothes for the children, including two new jackets for Michael. Neighbors also volunteered to help the two women clean up their yard and house.

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New bank

opens in Helena

After Mayor Sonny Penhale cut the money ribbon Thursday to officially open the First National Bank of Columbiana's branch in Helena, bank manager Linda Crenshaw presented the bills to Police Chief Larry Rollan for the Toys for Tots program. Others participating in the ribbon cutting were: Bank President Karl Harrison, Helen Harrison Phillips, Tommy Harrison, Donna Allen and Mrs. Sonny Penhale.



Ballard

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At the time, Ballard said that he did not favor selling SMC, but that one could tell what actions the future might necessitate.

The board voted Ballard to the temporary position last week with members Workman, Tom Lloyd and Eloise Underwood objecting.

Board chairman Calvin Smith appointed members H.A. "Doc" Rubin, Laura Willis, Stubbs and, as chairman, C.E. "Bull" Carter to the search committee for a new administrator/chief executive officer.

At the suggestion of Workman, the committee was given the option of asking a member of the hospital executive

medical staff to give input into the search.

Workman and Raughley emphasized the need for a professional "head-hunter" service in search process because of the importance of finding a strong will-ed replacement for Price.

"Norman's done an excellent job to keep our nose above the water - and we're just barely out of the water (see related story on SMC's financial standing)," said Raughley. "We need a strong man with a free reign."

The board seemed to unanimously agree with his assessment that finding the right person was a "critical move."

Spanky

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A real estate woman pledged to send Norris \$14 a week for a year to pay for washing for the children's clothes.

"The good that has come out of all this (publicity) has been tremendous," said a neighbor.

The Department of Pensions and Security had summoned Norris and her family to appear in a Shelby County court on Dec. 17, to determine if the children should be placed in better living conditions elsewhere. The case was continued to Jan. 8.

Norris said there was hope now that the children would be placed temporarily with other family members in the county.

"I realize now that the best thing for them would be for me to improve myself," she said, taking a break from what she admitted was a long overdue house cleaning.

Her only source of income is the \$150 monthly child support check she gets for Spanky - \$125 of which pays their rent.

An apparent misunderstanding over an unwritten lease her landlord had led her to believe that the house was rented on an "as is" basis.

The house apparently has problems with wiring, sewerage, and part of a ceiling caving in (not the floor, as initially cited in the Reporter.)

But Norris admitted that she had never said anything about the situation to her landlord because she did not think anything would be done about it.

Without hearing from Norris, landlord Maggie Pearl Crawford and her sister-in-law, Nell

Crawford, said no one had contacted them on the condition of the house before the newspaper article was published.

Once apprised of the situation, the Crawfords said they were willing to handle the problems like most renters and provide needed materials or possibly labor.

Another Crawford tenant, Brenda Newborn, said the Crawfords had always assisted when problems arose at the house she and her husband rented.

Norris said that some of her family members could probably provide labor, and the wife of a councilmember said she knew someone who would probably be willing to help with the wiring.

The Women's Missionary Union and Brotherhood groups at the Calera Baptist Church had already planned to give a Christmas Eve dinner to the Norrises and gifts to the children.

When pressed for ways in which others might help, Norris said "if it isn't too selfish to ask" money for her attorney in the custody case would be greatly appreciated.

Norris said she needs \$350 for attorney fees, but has managed so far to save only \$135. (Donations can be sent payable to the Shelby County Reporter, PO Box 947, Columbiana, 35051.)

Norris, who has been married twice, said a job would enable her to better care for the children, but said she has no transportation and little work experience other than a server at a steam table, babysitter and church nursery helper.



Retirement party

Ned Bearden cuts the cake at his recent retirement reception. Sharing in the festivities are his wife and many friends and business associates. Bearden retired as Chairman of the board of the

First Bank of Alabaster after a long and prosperous career, but has remained active with the company to help in its merger with SouthTrust Bank of Alabama.

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Four fires in two weeks

Helena has outbreak of fires

Four unrelated fires in Helena recently destroyed two mobile homes and a utility company van. However, an industrial fire only caused minimal damage.

Commenting on the fires coming so close together, Helena Fire Chief Garry Penhale said, "We generally don't have any more than one fire a year."

The first fire occurred Dec. 11 at the mobile home on County 17 occupied by Terry and Teresa Pennington.

Penhale said the couple were in their garage in back of the house when they noticed the fire around 2 p.m.

By the time it was spotted, Penhale said it had already burned through the wall.

Helena was assisted by Alabaster and Pelham in extinguishing the blaze, Penhale said. But with the headstart the fire had before firemen arrived, the Helena chief said the home was a total loss.

Penhale said he believed the cause of the fire was electrical.

After the fire was out, but before Helena firemen could put hoses back on trucks, Penhale said another fire call came on Gobbler's Knob behind Dearing Downs.

A South Central Bell van had caught on fire where it was parked near the water tower, Penhale said.

Pelham took the call in the hard-to-reach area, using a 4-wheel drive brush truck to negotiate the terrain.

Before it was brought under control, the fire consumed the truck and also burned three acres of brush.

Since the vehicle was parked in an area thick with kudzu, Penhale said its catalytic converter device had probably caught the dry leaves on fire.

Then, just when Penhale was thinking he had had more than his quota of fires for the year, another blaze broke out around noon the following day at Acton Moulding on County 17.

Before fire trucks arrived

though, Penhale said that the plant's sprinkler system had put out the fire caused by a heater in the plant's paint room.

If it hadn't been for the sprinkler system, Penhale said major fire damage could have occurred.

A second mobile home - this one in Jenkins Trailer Park on Roy Drive - also was a casualty of the recent rash of fires. It burned around midnight, Dec. 5, but the occupants, David and Donna Rainey, escaped unharmed.

A candle apparently was the cause of that fire. Penhale said the family had just moved in, so electricity and other utilities had not yet been hooked up.

One thing that has Penhale puzzled in regard to the mobile home fire on County 17, is the rumors he's heard that Helena firemen did not respond and that they could not pump water.

Neither is true he said, and he would like to know who started the rumors and their reason for doing so.

Pelham

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by the council next month was recommended by the board.

Hayes said it is a small piece of property, owned by Johnny

Busby on the interstate side of County 361.

Although it has been used to

graze cows, and surrounding land is zoned agricultural, Hayes said that the property in question has a residential zoning label.

Hospital

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While SMC followed the national trend of layoffs in 1984, Price noted that savings in salaries would not show up as much this year as they would next year.

Noting that 68 percent of its revenue came from cost-based payers, such as Medicare, Medicaid and Blue CrossBlue Shield, Moore indicated that SMC should try to obtain a larger percentage of the market covered by private insurance firms.

Moore indicated that bad debts - a major problem with the hospital - were at \$3.9 million in '84, up \$700,000 from the previous year. The bad debts amount to 12 percent of the hospital revenue, when they should be held closer to 10 percent, he said.

The bad debts break down to some \$1.3 million in charity cases, and the rest in unpaid bills.

"Our collections just aren't getting done," said finance committee chairman Reid Long. It was noted that only about \$66,000 of the bad debts

had been collected.

Price said many bad debts came through the emergency room, some of which were referrals from doctors in other counties.

Investigations had shown that some indigent cases from Chilton County had taken out local post office boxes, so they could give a Shelby County address.

Board chairman Calvin Smith and member Lou Workman recommended that an ad hoc committee be set up to study an indigent screening process with the county commission. Smith appointed members Laura Willis, Tom Stubbs and Workman to the committee.

Moore, the accountant, said formation of the ad hoc committee was an "excellent" start on the problem of bad debts.

Despite the bad news, Moore said after the meeting that "this hospital is in better shape than most county hospitals."



Congratulating new owners

Donn Stone, president of the Pelham Chamber of Commerce, (left) welcomes Bethea president Clyde Taylor to the city as Hoyt Bozeman, Bethea executive vice president, looks on. Bethea is a

leading manufacturer of electrical utility transmission and distribution line hardware and equipment. (photo by Jim Parks)

Pelham based Bethea Electrical gets new name and new owners

Bethea Hardware has new owners and a new name. The company was sold to Bethea's present management by its parent company, Interpace Corporation.

Bethea Electrical Products, Inc. is the new name, with headquarters and plant operations continuing in Pelham.

The change, which became effective in mid-December, was announced by Bethea's new principal owners, Clyde A. Taylor, President; and Hoyt Bozeman, Executive Vice President. Taylor originally came to Bethea from Interpace in 1977. Bozeman, who joined Bethea in 1982, was formerly with Pengo Industries.

Bethea has just introduced a new line of transmission travelers for helicopter conductor stringing. This new line, according to Taylor, "reflects our continued emphasis on utility transmission and distribution."

Bethea is a leading manufacturer of electrical utility transmission and distribution line hardware and equipment. The company was established in 1950 by Malcolm Bethea and was subsequently purchased in 1977 by Interpace.

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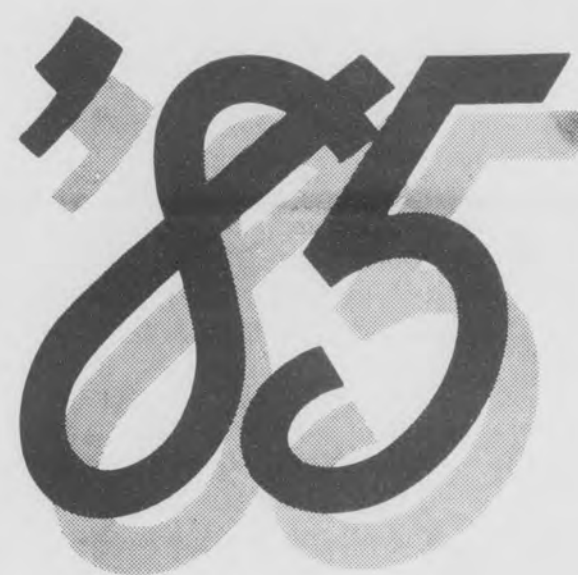
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Editorial opinion

The one-shot toy gift

It was a fine toy rifle, a Mattel Winchester.

He was a second grader the year Santa brought him the toy rifle — along with who can remember what else? — and he was excited to find it underneath the Christmas tree.

To his surprise, he also found what had to be another Winchester wrapped in bright paper under the tree. But the tag had no one's name on it. Had Santa made some sort of mistake?

Puzzled, he asked his father if he knew anything about the second rifle.

Not everyone gets lots of toys and things for Christmas, his father said. So, Santa had left the rifle for the boy to give to someone, someone who had not been fortunate enough to find so many wonderful gifts under the Christmas tree.

Did the boy know of some such person?

He thought for a moment and said yes. His name was Willie, a boy in his class who lived a mile or so away, the one he sometimes walked with to school.

Then go to Willie's house, his father said. Give him the Winchester. Wish him a merry Christmas. Remember, it is the giving that is **always** the most important thing.

It sounded like a fine idea. A Christmas spirited idea.

But as he walked to Willie's house - his hands snugged against the grey winter day in the pockets of his brand new jacket - the boy had second thoughts. For a minute or two, he was no longer sure he really wanted to be doing this.

He liked Willie. Well, he liked him okay. But there was something that bothered him.

He knew what it was.

It was because Willie always wore a faded blue jean jacket, and his shirt and pants were a bit ragged. It was because Willie's house was old, unpainted and run down looking from the outside.

Of course he had never been inside the house, but he pictured it as being dingy, somehow uncomfortable. It was no doubt crowded because Willie had a number of brothers and sisters, all of whom wore the same kind of poor clothes.

He looked down at his new jacket and that somehow bothered him even more.

Then he remembered his gift to Willie and felt better. Yes, he thought, Christmas is the time for giving. This is the right thing — the good thing — to do.

The boy shrugged off the last of his bothered feelings and walked on through

the grey Christmas morning to Willie's house.

He was right about the inside of the house. It was dingy. Dirty. Cold. Willie's family did not live like his own family, and for some reason he felt like this was his fault.

But Willie seemed pleased to see him. And the tree had bright lights on it — even if it was a bit droopy looking, and it didn't have nearly as much torn wrapping paper scattered around it as did his tree at home.

"Here. Merry Christmas."

Somewhat awkwardly, as if making an offering that might not be accepted, he handed Willie the present.

"Thanks," Willie said. "What a neat rifle."

The boy felt good and stayed a while to play with Willie.

Later, as he walked home, he was pleased with himself for learning what he thought was an important lesson about giving. It was what a person should do on this one, most special day of the year.

School started back. Sometimes, if they happened to meet, he and Willie would walk together.

Through the rest of the winter and into the cool days of spring Willie would still wear the faded jacket. In the summer, the jacket came off, but the clothes were still those of a poor person.

But somehow the boy found it easier to overlook these things about Willie.

Such things never seemed to bother him anymore. Hadn't he done his part? Hadn't he given Willie that swell Mattel Winchester for Christmas?

Then one night, driving along the week before Christmas — was it really a quarter of a century later? — he found himself thinking about Willie and the Winchester and the lesson about giving he thought he had learned so long ago.

But now new thoughts occurred to him, making the memory of that day and the rifle bother him. The toy, he knew, would be long gone. Sure, giving was good. But whose purpose had it truly served? His or Willie's?

He knew the answer. After all, it was only a toy gift.

He could not speak for other well meaning people, but now he realized that he had learned only a small part of the lesson of Christmas giving. About 1/365th of it.

...D.F.M.

Good Morning

by Milton Bird



Paragraphs: I lost another friend recently. Frank Johnston, an old and fine friend for years, passed away at Shelby Medical Center. I'll miss him. When I go to see Irene I'll wish he was there, the same as always, but he won't be. The same as so many haven't been over the years. It's the price we pay for caring.

Amy and I, and many more, enjoyed the singing at Union Methodist Church Sunday night. After a slight detour, the little church is on the high road again, heading for the same love and fellowship that has been a special part of its life through the years. They are good folks up there, and good folks are gonna have a good church. You can depend on that.

This is a last paragraph about that swell football team at Alma's Place on East College. After 13 weeks and 13 games, it all came down to one pass in the end zone, and one loss after 12 wins. They've been playing football up there for over 75 years, and this is the first team that's won a dozen games in one season. In my book, that's something to walk tall about.

Somewhere between Columbiana and

Chelsea there're some bobwhites with my name on 'em. Now that I'm through with the Christmas Fund business, if Jim Strickland gets my new boots in, I'm heading for George Foster's house. You see, I promised Earl I'd teach him to shoot, and he'll be looking for me.

It was the 10th day of December. School would be out in ten more days, on a Friday. In Mr. Turner's pasture, that reached from his house almost to the public school, the grass sparrows and meadow larks were as thick as hairs on a cat. And in Mr. Miles' store down town there was this Daisy 50 shot BB gun. Maybe, if things turned out just right, Santa would bring it to Granny's house on the hill, and it would have my name on it. And Santa brought it, and 65 years later I remembered it one night and hurt a little inside.

The weekly 'Good Morning' column written by Milton Bird, is brought to you with the good wishes of the First National Bank of Columbiana, member FDIC.



Alabama Scene

by Bob Ingram

Having been a journalist since shortly before Gutenberg invented the printing press, you can be sure I have developed a splendid collection of "reliable sources," "unimpeachable sources," "high-placed sources," and "inside sources."

Then, of course, there is the best of all, the "anonymous source." It was one of these...but of course he too must remain unidentified...that I learned what some of Alabama's more prominent folks asked Santa to give them for Christmas. (I hope he also brought them a sense of humor, otherwise I may be asking Santa for some free health care...)

Gov. George Wallace: An amendment to the Constitution which specifies that once a man holds the office of governor for four times it is his forever. (What he really wanted was to change his title to King George, but he felt that was asking for too much.)

George McMillan: An amendment to the Constitution which specifies that once a man holds the office of governor for four times he must retire permanently.

Li. Gov. Bill Baxley: He wants the same

thing that McMillan wants, he just wants it more.

Dr. Paul Hubbert, AEA: Merit pay for teachers, provided that the only teacher eligible for same can sing all the stanzas of "Look for the Union Label."

Sen. Charles Bishop: An aviator's cap with goggles and a red scarf. If he is going to run the Aeronautics Department, he wants to dress the part. Red Baron, cry your heart out.

Sen. Howell Heflin: A dozen diet books and a lifetime membership in Weight Watchers.

Hezekiah Wagstaff: Appointment as director of the Driver Education Division. (Anybody who can drive seven years without a drivers' license is imminently qualified for that post.)

Coach Ray Perkins: 90 free tickets to the Hall of Fame Bowl game, to be used by himself and the Crimson Tide team. Then it can be truthfully said that Alabama's team has gone to a bowl game for 26 consecutive years.

Coach Pat Dye: A kicking tee, with instructions on how to kick a field goal.

And to all of you: I hope your Christmas was the best ever.



Hot off the press...

by Jim Parks

Don't bother....

You know, making New Year's resolutions. Nobody really keeps them anymore, do they? I used to. And I really tried; but my self-made promises usually petered out around March.

Several years ago, while working at another newspaper, I printed a list of 365 resolutions - one for each day of the year. I went for the one-day-at-a-time philosophy.

But alas, no one I knew went the whole distance, least of all myself.

As far as resolutions go, why do we wait until January 1 to improve ourselves, anyway? What if you waited a whole year to carry out the garbage? Procrastination can be a dangerous thing.

If you want to improve yourself, take my advice; get the jump on the crowd. Improve yourself today.

Most of you already sneak out of a football game seconds before the final horn to beat the traffic, and some of you (with money) shop in September to avoid the Christmas rush. So why

not resolve yourself TODAY? Change now or not at all.

As for me, I'm not making any resolutions in 1985. It's taken me this long to perfect my best faults, and I'm just not ready to give them up yet.

The closest I'll come to making a resolution is to vow to maintain status quo for the next 365 days.

To further illustrate my objection to New Year's resolutions, I have listed below 10 non-resolutions, which, never made, are never broken:

1. 6.
2. 7.
3. 8.
4. 9.
5. 10.

While it's not a resolution, I do have one January 1 wish for all our readers — have yourselves a happy New Year.

Reader's opinion

Sledgehammer needed for gravel

Letter to the editor:

While living in India, I once saw a crew of coolies manning sledgehammers to break rocks into smaller pieces. When I asked what they were doing, "making gravel" was the obvious answer. I thought it was terrible that they should be so backward.

By contrast, we Americans pride ourselves on using the most modern methods. We stock our factories, farms and homes with sophisticated machinery designed to eliminate drudgery. Even my yard work is done with the aid of

tractor and trailer, fertilizer spreader, mowers both riding and self-propelled, mulcher, flamethrower, power saw, electric clippers, etc.

The chert for my long circular driveway was delivered by a modern dump truck and spread by a road scraper. At the time, my neighbor informed me that the large rocks mixed with the gravel-size chert would eventually cause trouble by pushing out from the surface. He said if I would hit the top of the projecting rocks with a sledgehammer, they would turn around and go

back down. I laughed at the joke.

Later, when the rocks did emerge, I thought about my neighbor's joke. The chert rocks were very brittle, and a hard blow would shatter them into small pieces. It works!

Yes, I have come full cycle - I am doing the same thing the coolies were doing in India - making gravel with my sledgehammer, and without even being paid for my work.

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UM graduates 125 seniors

People's lives are shaped by what they believe, and what they are committed to. Therefore, people must build a "strong foundation upon which to confront challenges and enjoy life," Birmingham Mayor Richard Arrington Jr. said at the University of Montevallo's December Commencement.

Middle class America faces a special challenge, "a call of conscience," Arrington told the 125 graduates on Dec. 10. "It is a challenge to be as bold in matters of justice and human compassion

as we are in the exploration of space or the development of military might. It is the challenge to walk a mile in our brother's shoes."

Birmingham's first black mayor urged the graduates not to forget where we've come from as a nation, nor the price that was paid "to bring us to a better day."

Americans must be vigilant "in the defense of individual freedom and the search for justice," Arrington said, or risk "going back

to where we came from."

New college graduates take on new and oftentimes bigger challenges, he said. "And so it is throughout life. We complete a task or achieve a goal, only to move on to new tasks and to pursue other goals."

"At Montevallo, and in our day to day experiences, we must strive to equip ourselves for new challenges - knowing that every ending is but a new beginning," he said.

UM President Jim Vickery presented Arrington with the President's Award for Distinguished Public Service. The award notes Arrington's "commitment to professional and public service," particularly "his years of dedicated service to higher education."

Graduating seniors from Shelby County are:

Betty Shinn Bass, Montevallo; Barbara Carpenter, Helena; Frances Flowers, Helena; Kim Glenn, Columbiana; Robin Godfrey, Calera; Donald Walton, Columbiana; Harold Whitten, Wilsonville; Joseph Ford, Columbiana;

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University of Montevallo president Jim Vickery greets alumna Carolyn Duncan, a partner in the law firm of Ritchie and Rediker, who spoke at the UM Alumni Association dinner for December degree candidates. Duncan compared the present college generation to that of her own -- the late 1960s and early 1970s. She contended that it was easier for her generation to take difficult stands because it was popular to do so. "It is tougher for you to be independent thinkers," she told the graduates. "But there is plenty for you to do."



Honoree

Dr. Miriam Collins, professor of health, physical education and recreation at the University of Montevallo, was honored recently for her years of service to the Alabama Special Olympics. Dr. Clinton Owens, a member of the state special olympics executive board, presented Dr. Collins with a certificate of appreciation from State Sen. Hinton Mitchem and Secretary of State Don Siegelman.

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No Bowl game for Tide

One of the biggest stories in the 1984 football season was the failure of the University of Alabama to secure a bowl bid, thus ending the longest streak in college football history.

Birmingham's Hall of Fame Bowl would have been happy to solve that problem until the Tide lost to LSU, insuring their first losing season in years.

"We would love to have Alabama or Auburn in the Hall of Fame any year," said scouting committee co-chairman Charles Martin. The Tide was on the HOF scouting and wish list for most of the season, but Alabama's losing mark, insured by the LSU win, ended consideration of the Tide.

"The NCAA pretty well spells it out," Martin said. "They call the bowls a reward for a winning season. I guess the word winning is subject to interpretation. If somebody like Northwestern won four games it might be different."

Martin added that the NCAA would not sanction a bowl that did not adhere to its selection policy.

HOF sell-out?

If the Hall of Fame Bowl were any of six other established bowls, it would already be a sell-out. More than 40,000 tickets have been sold locally. In addition, Kentucky and Wisconsin have combined for an additional 18,500 in ticket sales.

Due to the large capacity of Legion Field, many bowls with the combined 58,000 tickets sold would have been sell-outs for months.

TV contract for HOF

The Hall of Fame Bowl's current television contract is in its first year of a three-year deal, with payoffs to the HOF (and subsequently the teams involved) increasing each year.

The current pact follows a very successful match last season that was to have been the first of a two year deal.

"TBS tore up the old contract following last year's game," said HOF board member Charles Martin. "We put together a new three year deal that we are very pleased with."

HOF pay-off ranks ninth

Speaking of payoffs, Birmingham's HOF ranks ninth among the nation's eighteen bowls in estimated payoff per team, all payoffs based on a sold out stadium.

The Rose Bowl leads the money race, paying approximately \$5,600,000 per team.

The Sugar Bowl is second, paying \$2,100,000 per team, with the Cotton, Orange, and Fiesta third, fourth, and fifth.

The HOF payoff is \$650,000 per team.

Last chance college game

Area fans can enjoy on last dose of college football excitement during HOF week.

Wisconsin arrives on Christmas Day and will practice in Legion field Tuesday afternoon, Wednesday morning, Thursday afternoon, and Friday afternoon.

Kentucky arrives Wednesday and will practice in Legion Field Thursday morning and Friday afternoon.

Fans are also invited to two separate "Five Points South Festivals" on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, the Friday evening bash featuring a giant pep rally from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

The Hall of Fame Bowl kickoff is set for 7 p.m. Saturday evening.

Player of the Week

UM Lady Falcon Judy Perkins was named the Southern States Conference women's Player of the Week last week. Perkins scored 24 points, grabbed 10 rebounds, had 17 assists and 10 steals as Montevallo went 1-1 on the week.

Women's action included

Space considerations forced the exclusion of girls action from last week's Roundball Roundup. Last week's games are included in this week's edition of the roundup.

HOF has county flair with Martin, Thompson

by K.A. Turner

When the Wisconsin Badgers and the Kentucky Wildcats tee up the football for the 7 p.m. kickoff of Saturday's Hall of Fame Bowl, at least one Shelby Countian at Legion Field will breathe a big sigh of relief.

Pelham banker Charles Martin will have most of his work finished when the teams begin to play - work that began last spring and culminates in the eighth edition of the Hall of Fame Bowl in Birmingham.

"I've been with the Hall of Fame Bowl since day one," Martin said. Currently the vice president of the bowl foundation, a member of its board of directors and executive committee and the chairman of the team scouting committee, Martin was one of 50 men on the original board of directors for Alabama's only NCAA sanctioned bowl game.

In addition, Martin is the 1984 chairman of the Hall of Fame "Game Week", with major responsibilities including the pre-game and halftime productions.

Martin is not the only Shelby Countian who plays a major role in the annual bowl game. Hall Thompson is the chairman of the team selection committee for the HOF. Dr. Harvey Coker, a county resident whose practice is on Southside, is a member of the board and the scouting committee.

The three were instrumental in bringing what HOF officials are calling "a tremendous match-up" for area fans. Both Wisconsin and Kentucky bring won-lost records second only to eligible conference champions in their respective leagues - the Big 10 and the SEC.

This year's combatants in the Hall of Fame rank eighth among all national bowls in combined won/loss record. Among those with better percentages, four are traditional giants - New Year's Day bowl games with large payoffs.

Martin feels very strongly that a major purpose of the Hall of Fame bowl is the "selling" of the South - Alabama and the Birmingham area in particular.

"It's estimated that 24 percent of the nation's TV sets are located in the Big 10 conference," he said. "What better way to showcase the state of Alabama."

"We sell southern hospitality when we sell this bowl," Martin said, adding that no team among the 16 having attended previous HOF games had left without enjoying themselves.

Martin noted that Wisconsin had five other bowl choices and Kentucky three others, but both opted for the HOF. Kentucky's decision was even more important, as it marks a return trip for the Wildcats.

Martin feels just as strongly that the Hall of Fame game, and the people it brings to the area, benefits Shelby County directly.

"As much as we don't like to think of it, the economy of our suburban county is tied to Birmingham," he said. "We can help project the future of the county then make it happen. We do that by rubbing elbows with the corporate leaders of Birmingham."

Martin's First American Bank is one of the corporate sponsors of the HOF game. He views that involvement as an integral part of a commitment to Shelby County that began in 1980 when he came to First American.

"My associates and I underwrote a \$1 million investment in Shelby County when we came here," he said. "I love the people of Shelby County. I moved here

to play a bigger role in the county's growth. As business leaders we have a responsibility to furnish direction for the future of this area."

One of the more enjoyable parts of that direction is the involvement Martin and his wife Pat have with the Hall of Fame game. Enjoyable, that is, after the game is over and the hours of work are done.



Bowl game chatter

Two Shelby Countians who play an integral part in the 8th annual Hall of Fame Bowl chat in the light of a Christmas tree with the president emeritus of the bowl, Fred Singleton. Charles Martin (right), chairman of the bowl's scouting committee, and his wife, Pat, hosted a cocktail buffet at their Riverchase home in honor of the game.

Hall Thompson (left), of Shoal Creek, chairman of the bowl's team selection committee, was among the guests. (photo by David F. Moore)

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ROUNDBALL ROUNDUP

THS, Calera, Shelby Academy lead percentages

by K. A. Turner

The Thompson Warriors, the Calera Eagles and the Shelby Academy Raiders continue to pile up the county's percentages, as basketball in Shelby County heads toward a holiday break.

Thomas Johnson's Warriors took their ninth win of the young season last week, an 85-60 win over area foe McAdory. That ninth win, coupled with only one loss, gives the Warriors the top winning percentage in the county at 90 percent.

Gary Griffith's Eagles took their eighth win of the season in an 82-48 decision over area foe St. Clair County. An 89 percent win mark is the result of the Eagles 8-1 mark.

Dewayne Kervin's Shelby Academy Raiders took their seventh win of the season last week in a 43-39 decision with Bessemer. The Raiders also have only one loss, giving them an 88 percent win total as they begin to close out the 1984 portion of the season.

Chris Thomas, Tony Hale, and Richard Kidd led the Thompson win over McAdory - a game in which everybody saw extensive playing time. Thomas posted top totals in scoring and rebounding with 17 points and 13 rebs on the night.

Hale added 14 points and Kidd netted 13 in the game.

Twenty-one points and seven rebounds from Greg Haynes led Calera to their win over St. Clair County. Byron White added 10 points and 12 rebounds in the game. Willie Taylor chipped in 10 points and nine rebounds.

The Raiders faced Bessemer without the help of

two starters, Kelly Tibbals and leading scorer-rebounder Dennis Attaway. Kervin got good effort from Allen Latimer, Gordon Dawson, Brett Arnold, and Mike Upton to take up the slack and move the Raiders toward a win.

Robert Thomas took up the scoring slack, posting a game high 18 points.

The Vincent Yellowjackets and the Chelsea Hornets squared off in one of the few intra-county matches during the early part of last week, with Richard Crumpton's Jackets finishing on top of a 52-40 score.

"We were both real cold," Chelsea coach Mike Sims said of the low score.

Vincent was again led by Bruce Hamilton's 15 points and 13 from Tony Hamilton.

Chelsea had three players to finish with a 12 point total, Steve Shelton, Stephen Guthrie, and Keith Welch. Welch and Shelton shared top rebounding honors with David Lehner.

The Shelby County Wildcats took their first area win of the young season with a 57-53 decision over Jemison.

"Jemison played us tough," said SCHS coach Randy Terry. "They had a good crowd to support them, but we played pretty well anyway."

David Wood led the Wildcats in scoring and rebounding, posting 23 points. O'Neal Williams added 13 to the SCHS total.

Wood also led the Shelby County scoring in a win over Curry and a loss to Dallas County two weeks ago. Wood scored 17 and 14 points respectively in those games. In the win over Curry, Rodney Patterson added 11.

The Montevallo Bulldogs dropped a 63-58 decision to West Blocton last week, despite a career high 39 points from Tommy Bivins. Bivins was also the rebounding leader in the game for the Dogs, pulling down 17.

Slade Blackwell was second in scoring with six points, while four rebounds from Danny Holmes left him second in that category.

The Pelham Lady Panthers balanced a 49-32 loss to Berry with a 48-46 win over Sylacauga and a 27-26 win over Chilton County.

Denise Heisler led the scoring in each of the games, getting 19 against Berry, 31 against Sylacauga, and 17 against Chilton County.

The wins, however, especially the victory over Sylacauga, were team efforts.

"Defensively they all just looked super," said Pelham coach Tammy Richardson. "Paula Glover played especially well coming off the bench after one of our starters had fouled out. She is just a freshman but she did an excellent job."

The difference in the Chilton County game was the Lady Panthers performance from the foul line. As a team, Pelham shot 72 percent from the stripe in taking the one point win.

The Briarwood Lady Lions took a 48-26 win over Calera recently. Valerie Ysambert scored 16 points, Stephanie Johnson scored 15, and Vonnie Hitchcock added 12 for Briarwood. Hitchcock was the rebounding leader with 10.

Angela Johnson led Calera's scoring with 13 points.

Briarwood also took a 45-37 win over

Montevallo in action last week, leaving the two teams with a 1-1 record against each other. The Lady Lions and Lady Dogs must vie for their area title next year.

Stephanie Johnson led the Lady Lions scoring with 24 points, hitting 50 percent from the field. Valerie Ysambert was the rebounding leader with 12.

Letrica Gaddis led Montevallo with 13 points, followed by 10 from Carol Paschel.

Indian Springs dealt the Lady Lions a 25-22 defeat behind 13 points from Stephanie Norris.

Nine points from Vonnie Hitchcock was the top total for Briarwood.

The Thompson Lady Warriors got back on the winning track with a 59-20 win over John Carroll. Lori Glasgow led the Lady Warriors with 12 points, followed by eight from Wendy Skinner.

The Shelby Academy Lady Raiders took a win over the CVA Lady Rebs recently, paced by 12 points and a lot of rebounds from Jeri Hardwick. Sylaina Nappier scored six for the Lady Rebs in Shelby's 21-16 win.

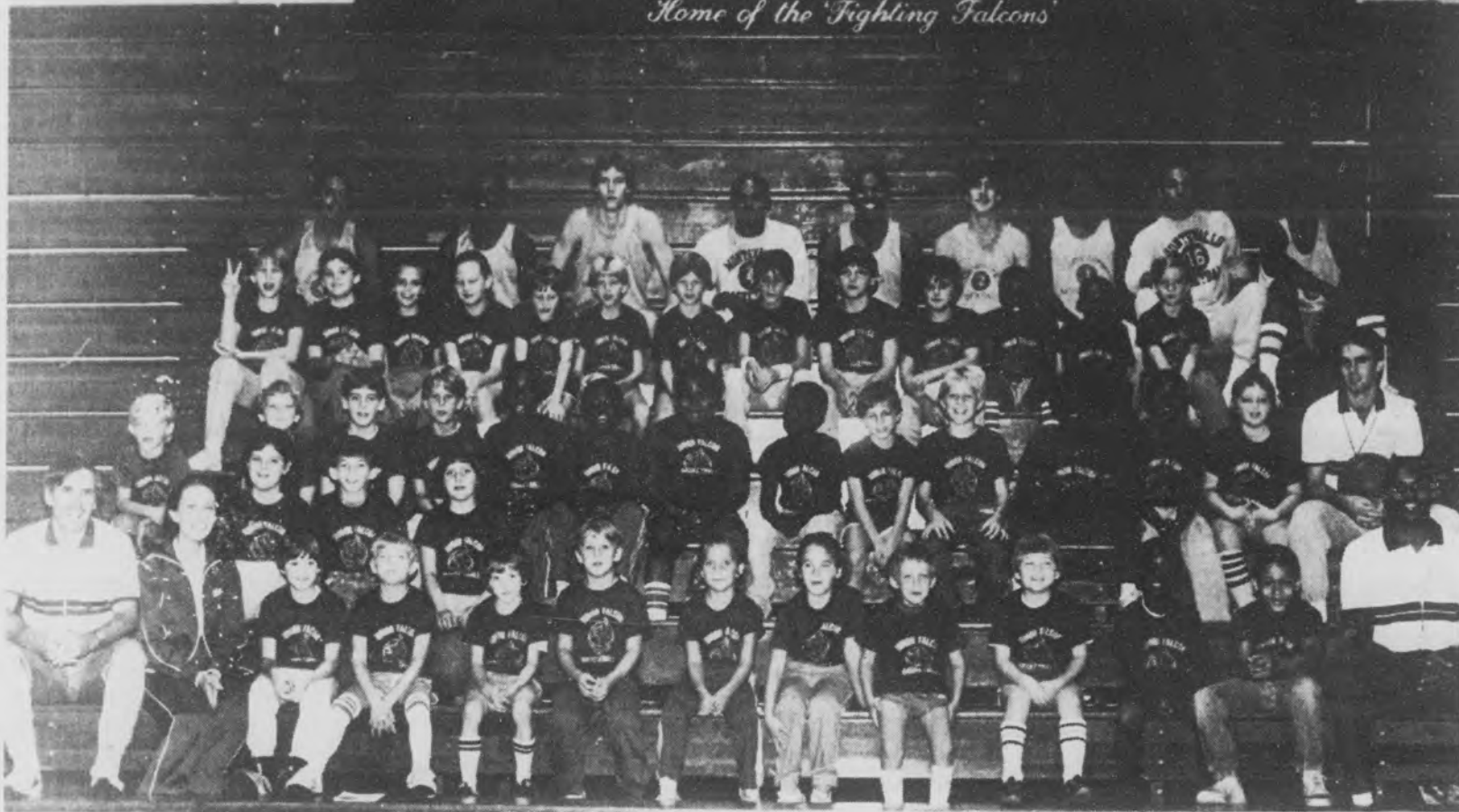
The Montevallo Lady Bulldogs took a 63-23 win over Shelby County last week, with Glenda Buie and Letrica Gaddis leading the Montevallo scoring.

Glenda Buie hit 13 for Shelby County. Buie shared the scoring lead with Rebecca Burns in the Lady Cats 47-20 loss to Dallas County. Each scored ten points to account for all of the SCHS scoring.



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Junior roundballers

Shelby County youngsters filled the University of Montevallo's Myrick Hall recently for UM's Junior Falcon Basketball Program. The young hoopsters got a chance to show their wares as they per-

formed for the crowd at halftime of the Montevallo-North Georgia basketball game.

County teams vie for tournament title

by K.A. Turner

Two of Shelby County's hottest basketball teams - the Vincent Yellowjackets and the Calera Eagles - will try to keep their momentum through the holiday as they vie for the title of the D.B. Smith Basketball Tournament in Vincent next week.

The Chelsea Hornets join the Eagles and host Vincent to give Shelby County three chances to win the six team event.

The tournament will cover four days, with opening round action set for Wednesday January 2 and final action to be held Saturday

January 5.

Vincent will meet B.B. Comer and Calera will play Pell City in Wednesday games. Chelsea will play the winner of the Vincent contest on Thursday, with Gilmore-Bell taking on the winner of the Calera game.

The six teams then proceed through the double-elimination field toward an 8 p.m. final game on Saturday.

"We have some good, competitive teams in this tournament," said Vincent coach Richard Crumpton. "It should be very competitive."

Bobwhite season opened

The hunting season is in full swing now and bird hunters all over Alabama are after the bobwhite quail - the "ideal American game bird."

The bobwhite has earned this reputation because coveys will hold for a pointing dog, and, when flushed, the dispersing birds fly only a short distance, providing the hunter opportunity to hunt "singles."

The Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources classifies the state's quail population as "fair" to "good" statewide. A reduction in habitat has caused a decline in the quail population recently, however the bobwhite is still plentifully throughout the state.

Just about anyone can find a place to hunt quail, either on private land, on one of the several quail hunting preserves, or on a state-operated wildlife management area. The best hunting probably is still on private land holdings.

•Private land in Alabama is

posted by law, however, and written permission is required for hunting. When properly approached many landowners will give responsible quail hunters permission to hunt on their land.

•Commercial hunting preserves offer a wide range of services, depending on how much a hunter wants to spend. Services can vary from simply paying a fee to hunt on the property, to guide service, dog rentals, meals, lodging, and more. These preserves offer excellent hunting for those who can afford the price.

•Another alternative is state wildlife management areas. Most of the areas offer quail hunting. The quality ranges from fair to very good, depending of the forest management activities on the area. Many of the areas could withstand more quail hunting pressure.

For additional information: William Coggins, Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, 1-435-5422.

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Santa's helpers

Riverchase students in industrial arts and home arts classes made wooden trucks, Christmas stockings, Care Bears and other toys to give to Toys for Tots. The Junior National Honor Society raised

money to buy toys. Students showing the hand-made toys are: Ricky Webber, Aimee Bittle, Rena Brown, Maridale Tallie, Keven Gardner, Bubba Moates.

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Auditions held

Open auditions will be held for the University of Montevallo's upcoming production of Shakespeare's "Hamlet" from 3-5 p.m. Jan. 14-18 in Reynolds Studio Theater.

More than 30 parts will be cast from students, faculty, staff and members of the community, said director Charles Harbour.

Many others are needed to help with stage lights, sets, props and costumes. Rehearsals begin Feb. 16 and the show will run April 10-13.

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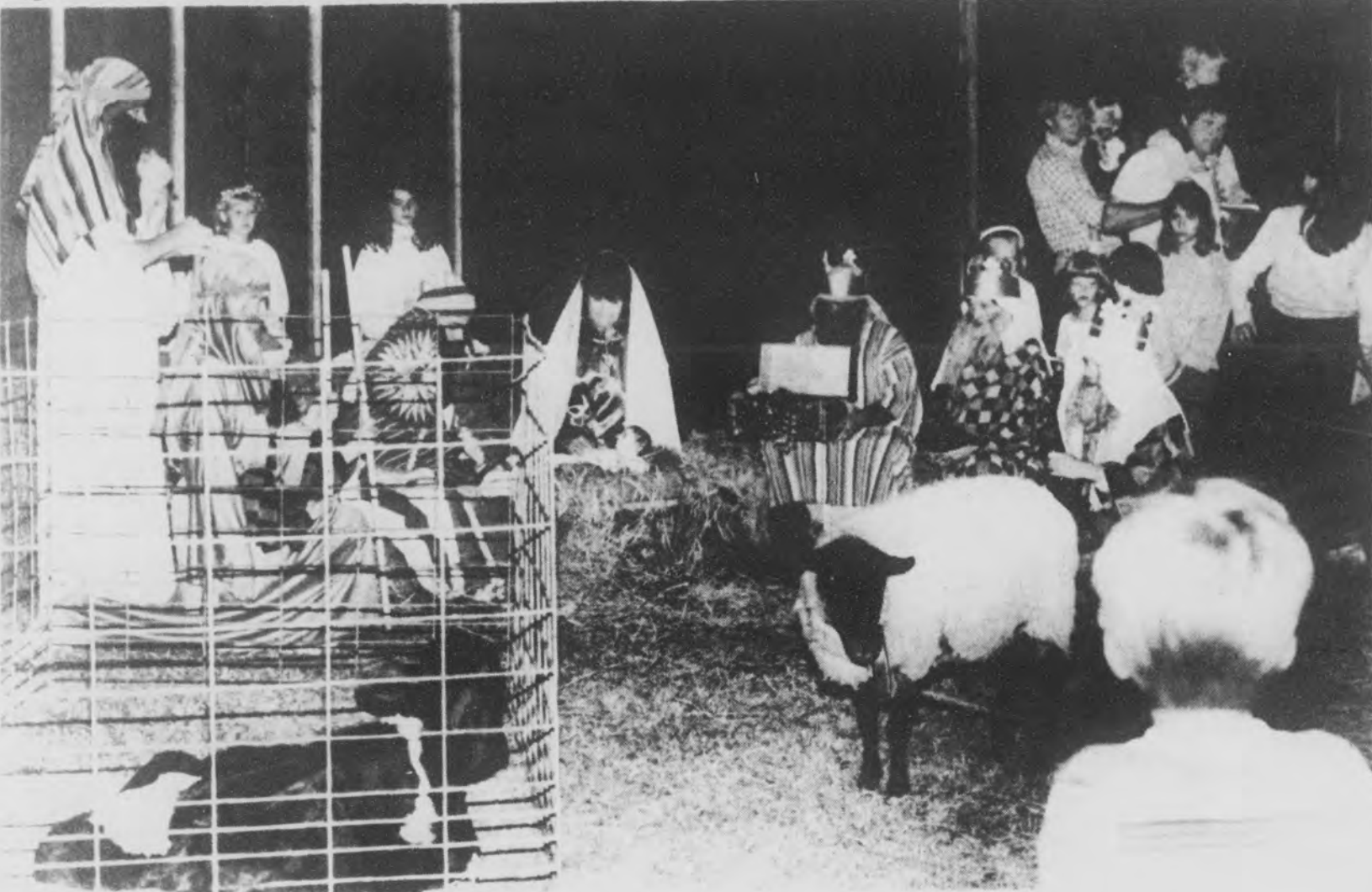
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Manger scene

A live Nativity was held during the Christmas holidays at the Alabaster Baptist Church. Children of the church, under the direction

of Jet Edwards, performed the scene with the help of some furry friends like this calf and sheep. (photo by Dawn Mims)

Calera High honors students

Calera High School announces the new honor roll. Students making the grades are:

A Honor Roll

•6th Grade: Jonathan Burgess, Chandra Davis, Michelle Jackson, Karen Nichols Wendy Peoples, Jennifer Roberson, Michele Wix.

•7th Grade: Wendy Broadhead, Audra Gottier, Nancy Prichard, Tabitha Scoggins, Kim Wix.

•8th Grade: Stacie Carden, Ann DeFreese, Jennifer Ford, Cindy Pruitt, Karen Williams, Dana Wilson.

•10th Grade: Chuck Edwards, Paula Gottier, Sonya Phillips.

•11th Grade: Gavin DeFreese,

Andrea Pearson.

•12th Grade: Mickey Gay.

A-B Honor Roll

•6th Grade: Jennifer Brooks, Nikki Childree, Danny Cook, Buffie Crouse, Beth Davis, Perry Davison, Casey Duncan, Melynda Farris, Angel Garcia, Tanya Scoggins, Christie Smith, Elbert Williams, Chris Woodall.

•7th Grade: Jeschell Bishop, Mark Blair, Jennifer Collier, Melissa Franks, Keith Gay, Rick Hamm, Pam King, Paul Parmer, Kristy Posey, Howard Shepherd, Brenda Shinaberry, Shannon Tate, Robert Templin, Jennifer West.

•8th Grade: Chuck Alverson, Kent Atchison, Chuck Boles, Jeff

Cannady, Tim Champion, Bill Davis, Jimmy Edwards, Lee Falkner, Chad Gottier, Chris Hendrix, Dawn Herron,

Terri Johnson, Twalia King, Tyrone Lee, John Marler, Keith McDonald, Kevin McDonald, Scott Pemberton, Stacy Pless, Janathan Rachels, Joey Shaw, Vicki Skinner, Greg White, Kim Wideman.

•9th Grade: Terri Edwards, Marty Gay, Joy Holladay, Terrence Lee, Dana Payton, Krista Vaughn.

•10th Grade: Amy Barnette, Beverly Cost, Jessica Ford, Carri Harding, Joanna Smith, Racheal Smith, Senta White.

•11th Grade: Tami Anderson, Diane Brwoning, Larry Cost, Amelia Edwards, David Ellison, Sandra Evans, Shelly Gay, Kristi Grant, Angela Johnson, Sandra Kornegay, Essie McCary, May Nemec, Carlene Partridge, Sandra Presley, Carl Prichard, Shane Schroeder, Willie Taylor.

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residents of Briarcliff Nursing Home to wish them a Merry Christmas. Patty Scurlock teaches the class. (Photo special to the Reporter)

Social news

by Paula Seale

Leroy and Jewel Taylor of Chelsea will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, Dec. 30 from 2 p.m. til 4 p.m.

Their children and grandchildren will honor the couple with a party at the Liberty Baptist Church in Chelsea.

The party will be held in the Fellowship Hall and everyone is encouraged to attend.

There will be a big band New Year's Eve dance (open to the public) at the Roma Country Club in Homewood from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. The dance will feature Joe Giattina and his 19 piece band, Bama Cardinals. Vocals by Mary Ogletree.

Seating will be limited. To order your tickets and make

reservations call Roma Country Club at 942-9673.

Don't wait until the last minute - get your tickets and reservations two weeks in advance and insure your presence at this event.

What's happening in your community that is socially newsworthy? Perhaps a wedding, an anniversary, or holiday visitors. It may even be a trip. We'd like to know...

Social news - weddings, obituaries, church news, etc. - is a free service of the Reporter. All you have to do to see your name or your group's activities in the paper is to call Paula Seale at 669-3131.

The deadlines for weddings, engagements, birthdays, 50th wedding anniversaries, any social news is NOON Friday.

We also welcome some pictures, so keep that in mind when you call.

Atchisons announce birth

Mike and Nena Atchison have a newborn baby boy, Jack Gregory.

He was born on Dec. 18 at Brookwood Medical Center, weighing in at 8 lbs. 2 oz.

Jack Gregory is the grandson of Jack and Marie Atchison of Columbiana; and Jack and Dorsey Cates of Thorsby.

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Congratulations to Cody Lamar Holliman, who will celebrate his first birthday on Dec. 26 with family and friends.

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Gaines, Doriety wed in Montevallo

Angela Gaye Gaines of Montevallo and Craig Thurston Doriety of Montgomery were united in marriage on Dec. 8 in the Montevallo Church of Christ. A reception followed.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gaines and Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Doriety, both of Montevallo.

The candlelight ceremony was performed by the Rev. David Hall of Montevallo.

The candles were lighted by William Clay Gaines of Montevallo.

Donna Morris of Florida served as matron of honor. Other attendants were Shereen Doriety

(sister of groom), and Rhonda Mattox, both of Montevallo.

Thurston Doriety was his son's best man. Groomsmen were Ray Gaines, Jr. and William Clay Gaines, both of Montevallo and Jamie Pace of Bessemer.

After a honeymoon trip to Gulf Shores, the couple will reside in Montgomery.

Shelly McCombs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. McCombs, was recently elected chaplain of Alpha Chi Omega social sorority at Auburn University.

Shelly is a sophomore majoring in nursing.



MRS. CRAIG DORIETY
...former Angela Gaines

Sorority holds Christmas meeting

The Alpha Nu Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma recently held their December meeting, with Judy Acker presenting a program of Christmas music.

In keeping with the month's theme - Developing Global Perspective - club member Anne Hamilton introduced guest speaker Charlotte Blackmon. Blackmon is the director of Inter-cultural Studies at the University of Montevallo.



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Church News

by Paula Seale

The First Baptist Church of Alabaster had a live nativity scene on Dec. 17 & 18.

The next meeting of the Jolly Rovers will be January 14 at 10:30 in the First Baptist Church of Alabaster fellowship hall.

"Senior adults ages 50 and up are welcome to attend," said Daisy Conrad.

Good Hope United Methodist Church will host their annual New Year's Eve singing on Dec. 31 at 7 p.m.

The Joy Airs of Chilton Co. and the Christian Echoes of Birmingham will be the guest singers.

Buck Rushton, chairman, invites everyone to come and join in singing the old year out and the new year in!

Also, Good Hope would like to

announce that Dr. Earl Gordon has appointed the Rev. Joe Hearn, of Vincent, to be the new minister beginning Dec. 30.

"We are looking forward to having Rev. and Mrs. Hearn with us and we're expecting great things to happen under their leadership," said church member Faye Merrell. "Come worship with us at Good Hope United Methodist Church in the Kingdom Community on County 61."

Cedar Grove Freewill Baptist Church will host a New Years Eve all night singing beginning at 7:30 on Dec. 31.

Guest singers will be the Gospel Valley Boys with Ray Perkins and the Gloryland Singers.

The church is located between Columbiana and Wilsonville.

The congregation welcomes all who wish to attend.

Obituaries

ANNIE REBECCA CRUMLEY

Annie Crumley, 83, life-long resident of Shelby County, died Dec. 17.

She is survived by her two sons, John O. Crumley of Helena, Thomas M. Crumley of Gadsden; three daughters, Ruth England of Tarrant, Annie E. Barton of Alabaster, Patricia J. Smith of Alaska; a sister, Grace Bishop of Arkadelphia; 12 grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services were held at Homewood's Valley Chapel Dec. 19 with interment in Allen Cemetery.

The Rev. Jerry Bishop officiated.

GENOA PEARL BRANTLEY

Genoa Brantley, 78, of Montevallo, died at Shelby Medical Center on Dec. 18.

She is survived by her husband, Paul M. Brantley, Sr.; two sons, Paul M. Brantley, Jr. and James W. Brantley, both of Montevallo; four daughters, Louise Marie Johnson, Geraldine Amason, Betty Joyce Sneed, all of Montevallo, Annie Pearl Brown of Florida; sister, Shelia Barnett of Hamilton; 14 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Hoffman-Rocko Chapel with interment in Shelby Memory Gardens.

The Rev. Robert Mahaffey officiated.

LILLIE C. MURDOCK

Lillie Murdock, 79, of Wilsonville, died at Brookwood Medical Center on Dec. 15.

She is survived by three daughters, Jane Barton of Georgia, Joyce Walker of Birmingham, Kay Ray of Wilsonville; son, John C. Murdock of Texas; sister, Edith Luck of Virginia; 13 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

The graveside service was held on Dec. 17 in Wilsonville Cemetery. The Rev. Tom Higgins officiated.

ESSIE COX

Essie Cox, 85, of Maylene, died on Dec. 19.

She is survived by her four sisters, Madge Butler of Alabaster, Edith Morgan of Columbiana, Veomie Kunstler of Maylene, Zonie Lakey of Michigan; brother, Reddie Hand of Maylene.

Funeral services were held on Dec. 21 at Hoffman-Rocko Chapel with interment in Pilgrim Rest Cemetery.

William and Kathleen Johnson officiated.

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2 Kings 6:24-7:20
Dr. Harlice E. Keown
Siluria Baptist Church

In our text, Benhadad the King of Syria had surrounded the city of Samaria and would not allow anyone to enter not anyone to leave the city. The end result was famine in the city. Two women because of the severity of the situation bargained to eat their babies on successive days to stay alive. One of the women refused to comply and hid her baby. The other appealed to the King to make the woman keep her commitment. The King was infuriated by the woman's request and because of what she had done. He put on sack cloth and ashes to publicize his humiliation.

Outside the city between the Syrian army and the city gates were four lepers. Because of their disease they were not permitted into the city. They were suffering because of the siege. They began to think about what they could do to survive. The said, "Why sit we here till we die?" They concluded that there was no use going into the city because there was no food there. They decided to appeal to the Syrians for help. If they killed them, they would die anyway; if they helped them they would live. When they arrived at the Syrian camp they found it abandoned. The army had fled during the night leaving all their belongings. The lepers helped themselves to the loot and in the midst of their endeavor they stopped and said, "We do not well."

They decided that they must share their find with the people of Samaria. They took the news to the city but the King thought it was a trap to get them out of the city and capture them.

Prior to this experience the prophet Elisha had been meeting with the Elders of the city when the King with one of his messengers came to charge him with the problem the city was facing. He had even boasted that he would have the prophet killed. But Elisha prophesied to the

Elders and the King that within twenty-four hours there would be so much food available that it would be sold at a price everyone could afford in the gate of the city. He also said that the King would see it but would not be able to participate in it.

The King upon the persuasion of the people sent wagons to bring back the food. Sure enough it was exactly like the lepers had said. They brought the food back and the people came running to the gates. They trampled the King and his messengers to death. The words of the prophet had come true just like he said.

My concern is, what lesson can we learn from this experience? What does it say to our generation? I think there are three lessons we can learn from it.

The first is, we do not well when we sacrifice our children to satisfy ourselves. Our children are our heritage and are not to be used to satisfy ourselves. We have a responsibility under God to help our children find God.

The second is, we do not well when we surrender to survive. These lepers in a time of war surrendered to the enemy to survive. This was treason. We must not believe that survival is the most important thing in life. We must not sacrifice our moral principles and our faith to survive. In Revelation seven we have a scene in heaven of martyrs clothed in white robes under the altar. These did not survive but they did receive the reward of heaven. Survival is not primary but faith is.

The third is, we do not do well when we satisfy ourselves before we consider the needs of others. Life was not given to be lived in isolation. Jesus taught us to visit the sick, feed the hungry, clothe the naked and give a cup of cold water in His name. To put self first is not the christian way of life. We who have received the gospel of Jesus Christ have good news to share with those who need it. This is what the christmas message is, "A savior is born who is Christ the Lord."

Alabaster Church of God
1st Ave. W., 1 Block below Post Office
Carl P. Miller, Pastor
663-9295
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday (F.T.H.) 7 p.m.

Antioch Baptist Church
Kingdom Community
Columbiana
Howard Brasher, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11 a.m.
Training Union 6 p.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer 7 p.m.

Apostolic Truth Center
Hwy 25, South of Columbiana
669-9371
John Beane, Pastor
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Sunday Night 7 p.m.
Mid-Week, Wednesday 7 p.m.
Come Worship With Us

Bay Springs Baptist Church
South of Shelby
669-9075
Truman Graves, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11: a.m.
Evening Worship 6 a.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethel Baptist Church
Int. Hwys. 25 & 49
Glenn Langner, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Baptist Church
1 Block N.E. of Springcreek
Grocery at Hwys. 71 & 46
665-4549
Pat Edwin Minshew, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
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Briarwood Presbyterian Church
Frank M. Barker, Jr., Pastor
6255 Cahaba Valley Road
(South Location)
Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
Worship Service 9:45 a.m.
3001 U S 280 S
(North Location)
Worship Service 6:30 p.m.
967-1760

Calcis Missionary Baptist
Hwy 25, between Vincent & Sterrett
John B. Dye, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"The Family Church"

Calera Baptist Church
Corner of Hwys 31 So & 25
Mack D. McCollum, Pastor
Minister of Ed./Youth, Joseph Sorah
Minister of Music, Debra Horton
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Vincent
672-9384
Bill Nugent, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

Christ Church, United Methodist
5191 Caldwell Mill Road,
Birmingham, Alabama 35244
991-5065
Byron White, Minister
Worship 8:30 - 9:40 - 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:40 & 11 a.m.
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Columbiana Church of Christ
Joe W. Pruett, Minister
Hwy 25 By-Pass Columbiana
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Columbiana First Baptist
"The Friendly Church"
Tim Williams, Pastor
669-3128
208 No. Main St., Columbiana
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Services 6:30 p.m.

Crosscreek Baptist Church
600 Crosscreek Trail, Pelham
663-4886
Dr. Richard Wash, Pastor
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
"Creative Christianity"

Enon Baptist Church
Rick Evans, Pastor
Intersection Co. Rds. 89 & 18
Between Montevallo & Calera
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7 p.m.

Evangel Presbyterian Church-PCA
Hwy 95, Helena
Across from 2nd Port South Entrance
Sunday School 8:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
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Dave Johnson, Pastor
664-0089 or 663-1063

1st Baptist Church of Alabaster
Corner of 3rd Ave. & 9th St. NW
Dr. Wayne Crumpton, Pastor
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Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Worship 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

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Wednesday 7 p.m.
Liberty Rd., Chelsea

Metro Baptist Church
220 Main St., Alabaster
Bob Etheridge, Pastor
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Mid-week Services 7 p.m.

Montevallo First Baptist
Thomas Mansell, Pastor
Corner of Middle & Main St.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 6 p.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Programs 5:45 p.m.

Montevallo Presbyterian Church
(U.S.A.)
Shelby at Alabama St., Montevallo
665-7360
Thomas A. Cheatham, Pastor
Church School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
Presbyterian Student Center
41 Vine St., 665-7360

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Junction of Cahaba Valley Rd.,
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Pastor: Stan Littleton
Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Family Night (Wednesday) 7 p.m.
663-6424 or 663-9064

Pelham United Methodist Church
Co. Rd. 52 and Hwy 31 So.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir & Youth Programs
Sunday 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
663-3309
David Wallace, Pastor

Ryan Baptist Church
Hwy 17, between Maylene &
Dogwood Community
Larry Harrison, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.
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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Church Training 5 p.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

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664-0122
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chor Club. Several club members, displaying presents for the needy, are (kneeling from left) Wendy Wallace, Rhonda Shealy, Kristi Hicks, Suzanne Kane and Jennifer Redding. Standing are club sponsor Margaret Bishop and Anchor member Andrea Lindenburg. (photo by Jim Parks)

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Legal notices

LEGAL NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE
 Application for alcohol, beverage license in Shelby County, Alabama. Location: Westover Community near Co Rd 55, 4.1 mi S of Westover Post Office.
 Proposed name: Westover Community Club.
 Applicant's name: Wayne Archer.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 664

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of Annie Gerdy Goode Deceased. Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: Shelby County Reporter Office, Publisher of "Shelby County Reporter".
 Lemuel H. Goode, Gail Moore and Patricia Sims, Administrators of Estate of Annie Gerdy Goode, deceased.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 665

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF NO TRESPASSING
 Take notice that William R. Parker, posted NO TRESPASSING SIGNS on the 25th day of September, 1984, on the following described land: Lot 1 of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East, which lies north and east of Waxahatchee Creek, and the following persons, or if deceased, their heirs or devisees: T.O. Cox, et al. Defendants.
 Case No. CV-84-311 (E)
 The following described land: The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East; and that portion of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East, which lies north and east of Waxahatchee Creek, and the following persons, or if deceased, their heirs or devisees: T.O. Cox, et al. Defendants.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 667

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
 Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Joseph P. Hinkley to First Southern Federal Savings & Loan Association of Mobile (formerly known as United Federal Savings & Loan Association) on the 10th day of May, 1982, said mortgage, being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Book 420, Record of Mortgages, at Page 502, the undersigned, First Southern Federal Savings & Loan Association of Mobile, as mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the main entrance of the Shelby County Courthouse, Columbiana, Alabama, on the 22nd day of January, 1985, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama:
 Lot H, Block 5, according to the Survey of Riverwood, Second Sector as recorded in Map Book 8, Page 65, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. Together with an undivided 1/106th interest in the common area as set forth in Declaration

recorded in Misc. Book 39, Page 880. This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
 First Southern Federal Savings & Loan Association of Mobile, Mortgagee.
 Harold H. Goings, Esq., Corley, Moncus, Bynum & De Buys, P.C., Attorneys for Mortgagee.
 2100 16th Avenue South, Birmingham, AL 35205.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 666

LEGAL NOTICE
 In accordance with Section 16, Title 50 Code of Alabama, 1940, notice is hereby given that Hughes Building Company has completed the Contract for alterations to Shelby County School Buildings, Vincent Elementary at High, Montevallo Middle and High, Shelby County High, Chelsea School, Maintenance Shop Warehouse in Shelby County, Alabama for the Shelby County Board of Education. Owner and has made request for final settlement of said contract.
 Hughes Building Company, P.O. Box 212, Montevallo, AL 35115.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 668

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF BILL TO QUIET TITLE AND TO ESTABLISH BOUNDARY LINES OF REAL ESTATE IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA
 Plaintiff: Claude Edward Schrader, et al.
 VS.
 T.O. Cox, et al. Defendants.
 Case No. CV-84-311 (E)
 The following described land: The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East; and that portion of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East, which lies north and east of Waxahatchee Creek, and the following persons, or if deceased, their heirs or devisees: T.O. Cox, et al. Defendants.
 Dec 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 669

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION
 Jimmy Charles Dennis, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Lottie Mae Dennis's petition for divorce and other relief by January 28, 1985, or, thereafter, a judgment by default may be rendered against him in Case No. DR-84-271 Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama. Done the 29th day of Nov., 1984.
 Kyle Lansford, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Shelby County.
 Dec 6, 13, 20, 27, 1984.

LEGAL NOTICE
 In accordance with Chapter 1, Title 39, Code of Alabama, 1975, notice is hereby given that Turner Roofing Co., Inc. Contractor has completed the

contract upon the above described real estate or any part thereof or interest therein, and against all other persons, and against said lands for the purpose of establishing the title of said lands in the said Claude Edward Schrader and to clear up all doubts and disputes concerning the same and that said suit is not pending in said Court.

Plaintiff alleges in said complaint that the title to said lands stand in the name of the plaintiff on the records in the office of the Judge of Probate in Shelby County, Alabama and said plaintiff further alleges that plaintiff claims title to said lands through and by virtue of a deed recorded in Deed Book 341 at Page 97 from Dorothy Lorene S. Sparta, as Executrix of the Estate of Thelma Lee Schrader, dated the 1st day of July, 1982, by virtue of the plaintiff's predecessors in title chain of title, and by virtue of the fact that the plaintiff and the plaintiff's predecessors in title have been in continuous, active, peaceable, hostile, notorious, undisputed, adverse possession of all of said lands, claiming to own the same, and that title to said lands has stood in plaintiff's or plaintiff's predecessors' names on the records in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama for a period in excess of twenty (20) years prior to this date. The plaintiff and their predecessors in title have assessed said real estate in the Office of the Tax Assessor of Shelby County, Alabama, and have paid the taxes thereon, and that no one has been in possession of said lands, or any part thereof for the past twenty (20) years, except the plaintiff and their predecessors in title.

That plaintiff, after a most reasonable and diligent search and inquiry, has been unable to locate the following named persons to determine whether or not they are living or dead, and if living, what their ages, and addresses are at the present time, and if deceased, the names, ages, and addresses of their heirs or devisees, and that the same are unknown to the plaintiff and said persons being as follows: The heirs or devisees of T.O. Cox and their heirs or devisees, if deceased, and the names, ages and addresses of any other parties who, unknown to the plaintiff, may claim an interest in or to the above described property, are unknown.

It is, therefore, ordered by the undersigned clerk, that publication of this notice be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published and having a general circulation in those lands which have a boundary line known as the 1/4 line separating the west one-half (1/2) of the NW quarter of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East from the East one-half (1/2) of the NW quarter of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East, and East of Waxahatchee Creek, located in Shelby County, Alabama, whose names and identities are at this time unknown to the plaintiff but will be added by way of amendment when ascertained; and those certain lands located in Shelby County, Alabama and further described as follows: The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East; and that portion of the SW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 24 North, Range 15 East which lies North and East of Waxahatchee Creek.

Take notice that Claude Edward Schrader has this day filed his verified complaint in said Court against the above named defendants and against any and all persons claiming any title to, interest in, en-

Contract for Improvement of Reynolds Hall, Myrick Hall at Montevallo University for the State of Alabama, and the County-City of Montevallo, Owenton, and have made request for final settlement of said Contract. All persons having any claim for labor, materials or otherwise in connection with this project should immediately notify Renner, Tichansky and Associates, Inc. 2017 Morris Ave., Birmingham AL, Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984, Jan 3, 1985. No. 646

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of George Dawson Partridge Deceased. Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: "Shelby County Reporter" office, Publisher of "Shelby County Reporter".
 Martha Sue Howard Partridge, Administratrix of Estate of George Dawson Partridge, deceased.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 654

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
 Default having been made in the terms of that mortgage executed on the 13th day of March, 1973, by Daniel Woolley and wife Brenda Woolley to Jim Walter Homes, Inc., which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate Shelby County, Alabama, in record of Mortgage Book 329, Page 818-19, and default continuing, and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the following described property will be sold at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court-house door of said County, in Columbiana, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on the 23rd day of January, 1985.
 A lot or parcel of land situated in the E. 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 2, Township 21 South, Range 3 East, more particularly described as follows: Commence at the point of intersection of the East line of the above said Section 2 and the easterly right of way line of Old Alabama Highway No. 31 for a point of beginning. Thence run North along said section line for a distance of 385.0 feet, thence run West for a distance of 175.0 feet, more or less, to a point on said highway right of way, thence run said highway right of way, thence run said highway right of way to the point of beginning.

Said sale is made for the purpose of paying the mortgage debt and cost of foreclosure.
 R.A. Norred, Atty. 3928 Montclair Rd., Suite 130, Birmingham, AL 35223.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, Jan. 3, 1984. No. 644

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION
 Jimmy Charles Dennis, whose whereabouts is unknown, must answer Lottie Mae Dennis's petition for divorce and other relief by January 28, 1985, or, thereafter, a judgment by default may be rendered against him in Case No. DR-84-271 Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama. Done the 29th day of Nov., 1984.
 Kyle Lansford, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Shelby County.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984.

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of Virginia White Barnes

B'ham Area Legal Services Corp. P.O. Box 1607, Columbiana, AL 35051. Attorney for Lottie Mae Dennis. Dec 6, 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 638

LEGAL NOTICE
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
 Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed by Melvin Lee Dich and wife, Ramona J. Dich to Stockton, Whatley, Davin & Company of Alabama, Inc. on the 5th day of January, 1983, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, in Volume 426, Record of Mortgages, at Page 598 in said Probate Office, which said mortgage was duly transferred and assigned to Stockton, Whatley, Davin & Company on January 14, 1983 by instrument recorded in Book 48, Page 486, in said Probate Office, the undersigned Stockton, Whatley, Davin & Company as transferee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the entrance of the Courthouse at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, on the 16th day of January, 1985, during the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:
 Lot 19, Block 3, according to the Survey of Broken Bow as recorded in Map Book 7, Page 145 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. Chattel items: Wall to wall carpeting.

Notice of this foreclosure sale is also given to the following parties, who have held title to said property and have assumed the obligations of the mortgage, in order that they might avail themselves of the opportunity to bid at said foreclosure sale: Anthony F. Lasch and Cassie T. Lasch.

This sale is made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, as well as the expenses of foreclosure.
 Stockton, Whatley, Davin & Company, transferees.
 W.A. Jenkins, Jr., 227 Frank Neilson Building, Birmingham, AL 35203-3687. Attorney for transferee. Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 647

LEGAL NOTICE
 Notice of Application to Revise Coal Mine Permit (Rev. 3)
 In accordance with the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1961, its regulations and specifically Section 880-X-8K-05 thereof, notice is hereby given that Allied Products Company, P.O. Box 36130, Birmingham, Alabama 35236 has filed an application to revise permit P-3217-07-88-S, Grayhill-Nunnally Mine, in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16, Township 21 South, Range 5 West, Shelby and Bibb Counties. This proposed revision would add four small sediment ponds in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15, NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15, and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences concerning this application should be made to the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama, 35502-2390. The applicant, Allied Products Company, requests that copies of such comments or objections be sent to it at the address given above, and to Paragon Engineering, Inc., 3928 Montclair Road, Suite 230, Birmingham, Alabama 35213.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 651

LEGAL NOTICE
 Notice of Application to Revise Coal Mine Permit (Rev. 3)
 In accordance with the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1961, its regulations and specifically Section 880-X-8K-05 thereof, notice is hereby given that Allied Products Company, P.O. Box 36130, Birmingham, Alabama 35236 has filed an application to revise permit P-3217-07-88-S, Grayhill-Nunnally Mine, in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16, Township 21 South, Range 5 West, Shelby and Bibb Counties. This proposed revision would add four small sediment ponds in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15, NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15, and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 15. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences concerning this application should be made to the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama, 35502-2390. The applicant, Allied Products Company, requests that copies of such comments or objections be sent to it at the address given above, and to Paragon Engineering, Inc., 3928 Montclair Road, Suite 230, Birmingham, Alabama 35213.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 651

Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 11th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: Publisher of Shelby County Reporter.
 Faneil Barnes Hennessy, Executrix of the estate of Virginia White Barnes.
 Dec 20, 27, Jan. 3, 1984. No. 656

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of Angus R. Skipper Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 11th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: Publisher of Shelby County Reporter.
 Doris P. Skipper, Executrix of the estate of Angus R. Skipper.
 Dec 20, 27, Jan. 3, 1984. No. 659

LEGAL NOTICE
 Notice of Application to Revise Coal Mine Permit (Rev. 2)
 In accordance with the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1961, its regulations and specifically Section 880-X-8K-05 thereof, notice is hereby given that Allied Products Company, P.O. Box 36130, Birmingham, Alabama 35236 has filed an application to revise permit P-3217-07-88-S, Grayhill-Nunnally Mine, in Sections 13, 14, 15, and 16, Township 21 South, Range 5 West, Shelby and Bibb Counties. This proposed revision would add a haul road to the mine area from the Gray Hill-Blocton Road in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 5 West. It also includes a change to the location of the permit boundary line for increments 2,3, and 4, west of Shades Creek and east of the Gray Hill-Blocton Road, in Sections 14, 15, and 16. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences concerning this application for revision should be made to the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama, 35502-2390. The applicant, Allied Products Company, requests that copies of such comments or objections be sent to it at the address given above, and to Paragon Engineering, Inc., 3928 Montclair Road, Suite 230, Birmingham, Alabama 35213.
 Dec 13, 20, 27, 1984. No. 650

LEGAL NOTICE
 Ralph W. Hill and Janice C. Hill, Plaintiffs vs. Calvin Bearden, Lorene Bearden, and Jerry W. Boothe, et al. Defendants. The undersigned Clerk of the Circuit Court of Shelby County, Alabama, as described herein, CASE NO. CV-84-325 (E) Filed in office this the 14th day of Dec., 1984.
 Kyle Lansford, Clerk of Circuit Court Shelby County, Alabama.
 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF BILL

FILED
AND PROCEEDING IN REM TO QUIET TITLE OF REAL ESTATE
 To the following described lands: Begin at the southwest corner of the South-East quarter of the South-West quarter of Section 18, Township 24 North, Range 12 East, Shelby County, Alabama; thence in an easterly direction along the south boundary of said Section 669.32 feet, thence left 105° and 43' in a north westerly direction 1224.76 feet to intersection with the southeast right-of-way boundary of Alabama Highway 25; thence left 95° and 24' in a southwesterly direction along said southeast right-of-way boundary 388.17 feet to the point of beginning of the arc of a curve, tangent to said straight line, being subtended by a central angle of 0° and 15'; having a radius of 3682.23 feet and having a chord 16.20 feet in length; thence southwesterly along said arc which is also said southeast right-of-way boundary 16.20 feet; thence left 81° and 29' and 30' from said chord in a southeasterly direction 117.10 feet; thence right 83° and 40' in a southwesterly direction 203.30 feet; thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel to the east boundary of said quarter-quarter section 854.02 feet more or less to intersection with said south boundary of said Section; thence easterly along said south boundary 175.00 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Take notice that Ralph W. Hill and Janice C. Hill have this day filed their verified complaint in said Court against the above-named Defendants and against any and all persons claiming any title to, interest in, or to the above described lands, or any part thereof or interest therein, and against all other persons, and against said lands for the purpose of establishing the title of said lands in the said Ralph W. Hill and Janice C. Hill, and to clear up all doubts and disputes concerning the same and that no other suit is currently pending in this Court for the aforesaid purpose concerning said lands.

Plaintiffs alleges in said complaint that the title to said lands rests with Plaintiffs based on a warranty deed of conveyance dated May 8, 1978, and recorded in the Office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, in Deed Book 313, Page 772.

Plaintiffs, after a most diligent search and inquiry was unable to locate or ascertain the names and addresses of any person, other than the Defendants named herein, who claims an interest in the lands herein described.

It is, therefore, ordered by the undersigned Clerk that publication of this notice be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published and having general circulation in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, and that all those to whom this notice is addressed and any and all persons claiming any title to, interest in, or in or encumbrance upon, the above described real estate, or any part thereof, or any interest therein, be and they are hereby required to plead, answer or otherwise defend this cause within the time required by law, not later than February 10, 1985.

It is further ordered that a copy of this notice certified by the undersigned Clerk, as being correct, shall also be recorded as a lis pendens in the Office of the Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama.

Done this 14th day of December, 1984.
 Kyle Lansford, Clerk of Circuit Court Shelby County, Alabama.
 Dec 20, 27, 1984, Jan. 3, 1985. No. 663

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of Joseph Bailey Fancher Deceased. Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: Publisher of Shelby County Reporter.
 Gordon Edwin Fancher, Executor of the estate of Joseph Bailey Fancher.
 Dec 20, 27, 1984, Jan. 3, 1985. No. 662

LEGAL NOTICE
 Estate of Troy K. Smith Deceased. Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 13th day of December, 1984, by the Hon. Thomas A. Snowden, Jr. Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.
 To: Publisher of Shelby County Reporter.
 T. Wayne Smith, Administrator of the estate of Troy K. Smith.
 Dec 20, 27, 1984, Jan. 3, 1985. No. 661

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF BILL FILED
AND PROCEEDING IN PERSONAM TO QUIET TITLE OF REAL ESTATE
 Plaintiff: Jessie A. Sharp and Marvin J. Sharp, Plaintiffs, vs. Delta Discount Corporation, INC., LOCAL MORTGAGE CO. and LOCAL MORTGAGE COMPANY OF GEORGIA, Defendants.
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA. CASE NO. 84-322 (E)
 To: Delta Discount Corporation, Inc. Local Mortgage Co. Local Mortgage Company of Georgia.

Take notice that Jessie A. Sharp and Marvin J. Sharp have this day filed their verified complaint in said Court against the above named defendants who claim or are reputed to claim some right or title to interest in or encumbrance upon the following described real estate:
 Block 12, according to the survey of Jewel Heights, as recorded in Map Book 3, Page 23 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, being located in the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 9, Township 22, Range 2 West, Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

for the purpose of establishing the title of said lands in the said Jessie A. Sharp and Marvin J. Sharp and to clear up all doubts and disputes concerning the same and that said suit is now pending in said Court.

It is, therefore, ordered by the undersigned Clerk that publication of this notice be made in the Shelby County Reporter, a newspaper published and having a general circulation in Shelby County, Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, addressed to the above named corporations, and they are hereby required to plead, answer or otherwise defend this cause within thirty (30) days after the last publication of this notice.
 Dec 20, 27, 1984, Jan. 3, 1985. No. 660

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Shelby County People

Johnson: the hands of a pro

by Bert Seaman

Jay Johnson's life hung literally on the draw of a straw. Had he drawn the short straw that fateful day in Thailand while serving with an Air Force bomb demolition squad, he wouldn't be training horses in Wilsonville/Four Mile area today.

But Johnson drew a long straw, meaning he would stay back this time while another member of the squad defused the nearby bomb. A buddy drew the fatal straw. The explosive went off while he tried to defuse it.

Johnson was wounded by flying shrapnel, but his buddy was killed. Thereafter, Johnson found his hands too unsteady for bomb defusion.

After the Air Force, he went back to his first love — horses, and the career took him many places before he came to Wilsonville two months ago.

A city boy from Dayton, Ohio, the 28-year old trainer first got acquainted with horses through the 4-H club. That's one of the reasons he was happy to give a clinic recently for members of Shelby County's 4-H Horse Club.

The clinic was held on Al Arnett's Double A Farm on County 48 where Johnson now trains.

At the time he met Johnson, Arnett wasn't looking for a trainer. He says a couple of bad experiences led him to think that he didn't want to fool with one any more.

And Johnson had a bad taste in his mouth after some experiences with horse farms owners, so he was being cautious about who he hired on with.

However, after Arnett saw Johnson ride, and the two men talked awhile, a mutual confidence developed.

"It almost has to be that way," Johnson says. "You're almost married to the people you work for."

As for Arnett, he says, "I feel that Jay was God-sent after all the problems I'd encountered. I feel like our paths crossed at the perfect time."

Arnett and his wife, Ann, have been working four and a half years to build up a horse farm that they hope will eventually become a profit making business.

The couple have jobs to support the farm. Arnett is employed by Alabama Power Company and his wife works for a Birmingham law firm.

The horse trainer, who had been working in Colorado before



HORSE TRAINER JAY JOHNSON
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coming to Jasper, Alabama, saw Arnett's business card in a tack shop and called him.

Now that the two have joined forces, Arnett feels that he's on the right track.

"People recognize the difference when they see a good trainer show your horses," Arnett says, and several people already have their horses with the new trainer.

His philosophy of training, Johnson says, is with patience — not abuse.

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From Santa

Dear Chris ...

Dear Chris Miller:

I'm sure you now know that there was no reason for you to worry that I might not get your Christmas letter this year.

The people at the Shelby County Reporter sent your letter on to me after they realized that it had somehow been left out of all those Santa letters they ran in last week's newspaper. Also, just to make sure, Mr. David Moore at the newspaper talked to me, so I knew that you wanted a pair of pants.

My elves decided on a pair of blue Tough Skins. I hope they fit you. Eight-year-olds in the second grade grow so fast!

Since you were a pretty good boy last year (you do need to study a little more, Chris, and make sure you pick up all your dirty clothes!), I also brought you a remote control car, a bicycle (be careful on it!), a friction toy, a stopper gun, some Atari game cartridges, and, let's see... I think a coloring book and crayons.

Did you remember to look in your stocking? If not, you'll find some B-B's and Hot Wheel cars.

I hope you and your brothers, Dewayne and Lee, and the rest of your family and friends had a merry, merry Christmas down in Montevallo, Alabama. In fact, I hope everyone in Shelby County had a merry Christmas.

As for me, ho, ho, ho! I had a WONDERFUL Christmas. For you see, Chris, I know that the secret of the Christmas spirit is GIVING things to people, such as toys, love, hope and happiness. That's truly more important than GETTING things, which is why I give gifts to people each Christmas.

I suppose that in doing this that I've become somewhat a symbol of giving. If so, that's all right with me. It helps keep me keep jolly the other 364 days of the year!

Your friend at the North Pole
(and everywhere you find giving people),
Santa Claus

14 holiday deaths predicted

The Alabama Department of Public Safety has estimated that 14 people will die in traffic accidents during the New Year's holiday period. Five people died in traffic accidents during the 1984 New Year's holiday.

Department director Col. Byron Prescott said all available state troopers will be patrolling Alabama roads during New Year's to remove drunk drivers from highways and to remind all motorists to drive carefully.

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Red Cross honoree

Cecelia Etheredge of the Shelby County Chapter of the American Red Cross was one of six volunteers to receive the Silver Award at a recent luncheon of the American Red Cross Blood Services. The Shelby chapter also received an award for surpassing its 1984 goal for blood donations. With a goal of 3,900 units the chapter collected 4,396 this year from donors in Shelby County.

Dangerous intersection set for improvement

A dangerous intersection in Pelham is now scheduled for improvement.

The state highway department recently accepted a bid of \$347,124.10 from General Fastner and Supply Co. Inc. to do the work at the intersection of County 52 and U.S. 31.

Pelham Police Chief Allen Wade called the intersection one of the city's high accident areas.

"It's been a problem for a number of years," Wade said.

The area is dangerous because County 52, coming from I-65, intersects with U.S. 31.

Wade said that any time an angle of intersection is other than 90 degrees, there is a higher probability of accidents.

Part of the improvement project will be to straighten the angle of entry.

Jim Braden, district director for the state highway department, said that the project will also consist of widening and improving the turning lanes to 52 on both sides of U.S. 31.

On the west side of U.S. 31, 52 leads to Helena.

The project includes relocating the traffic lights at the intersection.

Lacy is home

Airman Lois R. Lacey, who is stationed at Oceana Air Base in Virginia Beach, VA., is visiting her family in Montevallo for the holidays.

A 1983 graduate of Montevallo High School, Lacey entered the navy last year and completed training at the Naval Training Center in Orlando, FL.

In October, Lacey completed further training in launching and retrieving F-14A jets.

The airman is the daughter of Louis Lacey, Montevallo, and Bernice Arter of Ohio.

Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lacey.

Depression: Many will have a 'Blue Christmas'

by JOHN BRUMLEY
Executive Director, Chilton-Shelby Mental Health Center

"I'll have a blue Christmas without you,
I'll be so blue thinking about you,
You'll be doing alright,
With your Christmas of white,
But I'll have a blue blue Christmas."

Elvis Presley

These famous lines describe the way many people will experience the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

It's called depression, and its symptoms include disturbed sleep, changes in appetite, energy level, feelings of guilt and thoughts of death.

"There are a variety of problems that cause depression to be so common during the holiday season: forced loneliness... the recent loss of a loved one... sometimes the youngest child has moved away from home... or just being in a new community far away from family roots. These and other situations can create loneliness and "the blues."

Elderly and single persons are particularly vulnerable to this kind of depression. Often, their emotional energy gets so low that they become "frozen" and too despondent to seek help. That's when a church, a concerned neighbor or a social services agency needs to step in.

"People use the end of the year as a time for self-appraisal," says Dr. Kenneth Warren, a clinical psychologist at the mental health center in Calera. "If you haven't lived up to your expectations you can become disillusioned and doubt your self-worth."

Warren believes that some people who are depressed at this time of the year often defer getting help until after the holidays. With that in mind, he points out that clinical statistics indicate that the suicide rate peaks late in the Spring.

At least one person out of 10 will have a bout of depression serious enough to warrant professional attention. Besides loneliness, over the holidays these people may experience extra family tensions and stress: credit card bills; tired, noisy, fighting children; excessive drinking.

Psychologists and counselors offer the following suggestions for dealing with depression:

- 1) Make a list of your problems and find one you can lick. Defeat that one and you'll be ready to work on another.
- 2) Light exercise, such as walking, can restore energy level.
- 3) Try to set a reasonable pace during the holidays... don't overdo it... food, drink, or other activities.
- 4) If feelings persist, seek professional help. Get family or friends to help in seeking assistance.

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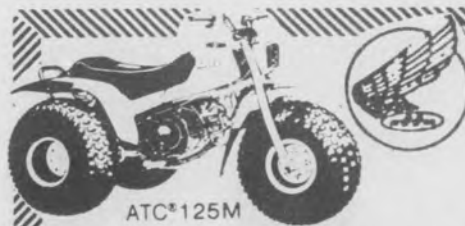
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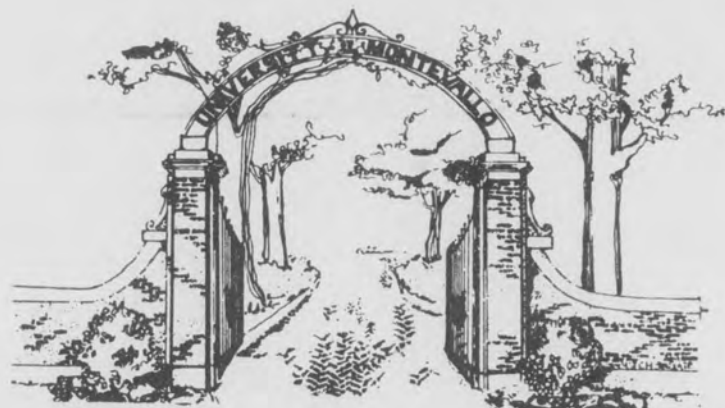
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Cities spotlight problem of drug, alcohol abuse

In order to call attention to the problem caused by drivers using alcohol and drugs, four Shelby County municipalities proclaimed Dec. 9-15 National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week.

The municipalities are: Alabaster, Columbiana, Harpersville and Wilton.

Congress established the week in order to arouse public interest in combating the problem caused by drunk or drugged drivers.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, one quarter of a million Americans have lost their lives in alcohol related crashes in the last decade.

The NHTSA also reports that more than half of all fatal crashes involve a drunk or drugged driver.

Although the cost to society can be figured monetarily — \$25 billion annually — the NHTSA points out that the cost to the families of traffic accident victims is incalculable.

The NHTSA suggests the following as steps toward solving the national problem:

- Use safety belts — the greatest protection should a collision occur.
- Designate a driver who will refrain from drinking to ensure a safe trip home.
- If a friend is drunk, don't let them drive.

Poetry winners named

The Christmas poetry writing contest, sponsored by the Parnell Memorial Library, produced 15 winners and 16 honorable mentions from Shelby Academy and Montevallo Elementary School grades 2-6.

The winners were honored at a party held at the Parnell Memorial Library Dec. 18. Librarian Sue Edge presented each of the winners with a book.

Winners

Second grade: Karen Rice, Amy Stamps and Bran Dill, all of Shelby Academy.

Third grade: Paul Boyd, Amy Freeman and Baker Lawley, all of Montevallo Elementary, and Amanda Forister, SA.

Fourth grade: Clayshane Mims, Krista Stuman and

Meghan McClary, all of SA.

Fifth grade: Audrey Spears, SA, and Beth Milstead and Christy Holsomback, both of ME.

Sixth grade: Honor Ingles, Jennifer Howell and Myron Fancher, all of SA.

Honorable mention

Second grade: Kim Arledge, SA

Third grade: Mark Harvard and Baye Taff of ME, and Shelby O'Conner, SA.

Fourth grade: Jeremy Baker and Jason Higgs of ME, and Paul Fancher, SA.

Fifth grade: Beth Milstead, Dena Harris and Heather Sullivan of ME, and Magan Burder, SA.

Sixth grade: Brad Hulen, Richard Harkins, Anita Messer and Candy Mitchell, all of SA.

Rotary program ready

Montevallo Rotarians are going to find out about environmental issues and what's going on in the field of education at their January meetings.

The opening meeting of 1985, Jan. 3, will feature guest speaker Betty Ann Payne, director of the Alabama Conservancy.

On the 10th, Montevallo Elementary School Principal Jimmy Jones will be the speaker; on the 17th Pryor Murphree from the Area Vocational Center will provide information, and Dr. Charles Payne, who heads the state's secondary education program, will be the Rotary's guest speaker on the 24th.

Rotarians will have the opportunity to address questions on the University of Montevallo to University President Dr. Jim Vickrey when he appears on the program Jan. 31.

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Going once, going twice, GONE! Rotary auctioneer Ken Williams draws a bid from Bud Quiggle for a lawn rake at the Alabaster-Pelham Rotary Club's annual Christmas auction. The annual event, which netted \$2,891 this year, is the

club's major fundraiser to raise money for donations to Thompson and Pelham high schools plus the Toys for Tots drive and food for underprivileged families in the Alabaster and Pelham area. (photo by Jim Parks)

Library has latest tax information

by Nancy Woosley
Shelby County Library Director

The end of the year approaches, and with it thoughts of income taxes may have replaced the sugar plums which had danced through your head.

The new tax law passed in 1984 brought about many changes, making an already complex task even more difficult. For this reason the public libraries in Shelby County stock a number of publications to assist with your efforts to wander through the tax maze.

•One well known tax preparation tool is J.K. Lasser's annual entitled "Your Income Tax," a complete tax guide written in a direct easy-to-read style. The book includes coverage on such

things as what you may or may not deduct, reporting requirements and a step-by-step guide to income averaging.

A special feature includes using a home computer for tax planning.

•Dealing specifically with one area of tax preparation, "1985 Complete Book of Income Tax Deductions" from H&R Block looks at the latest IRS and Tax Court rulings on income tax deductions to show how to take advantage of these and hundreds of other money-saving tax deductible expenses.

•Filing the income tax return is only the end of a process, and getting the most from tax filing requires careful planning throughout the year. Turn to such titles as "Perfectly Legal:

400 Foolproof Methods for Paying Less Taxes" or Jeff Schnepfer's "How to Pay Zero Taxes" for tax advice when planning strategies during the next year.

•Besides publishing forms for reporting tax returns and tax instruction booklets, the Internal Revenue Service also has available cassette recordings for completing forms 1040 and 1040A. While not presenting any more information than is found in the written instructions, many find listening to the tape preferable to reading small print.

IRS tax tapes will be available at your city's branch of the Shelby County Library, after the first of the year, as well as necessary tax forms. For further information or cassette reservations: 669-3171.

CVA students listed on honor roll

Coosa Valley Academy has announced its new honor roll. Making the list were:

A Honor Roll

4th Grade: Leslie Conwill.
5th Grade: Beth Haynes, Angela Lee, Ashley Rettig.
7th Grade: Tammy Abbott, Leigh Hill.
9th Grade: Jim Hamil, Krissie Masters, Grey McCranie.
10th Grade: Lydia DeGaris, David Florey, Kelly Turner.
11th Grade: Jana Hamil, Dewey McCarley, Jennifer Mann.
12th Grade: Sandy Hudgins, Lynn Alston, Cindy Murphy, Brenda Payne, Terri Tucker.

A-B Honor Roll

4th Grade: Anna Wilkins, Kristie Whitfield, Brook Sutherland, Jennifer McElrath, Audrey Frey, Adam Frey, Bo Dikeman.
5th Grade: Melanie Bell, John DeLoach, Keith Goodwin, Steven Jones, Kevin Oakes, Stuart Wall, Wem Wilson.
7th Grade: Billie Wilson, Tracy Challenger, Stacy Cox, Michael Dikeman, Mary Lyn Hill, Ben Knight, John Lambert.
8th Grade: Marie Kennessey, Kathy Knowles, Anita Wilkins.
9th Grade: Lori Battle, Joy Clements, Jill Duncan, Glenn Goodwin, Jay Greene, Trei Jackson, Alan Jemison, Carolyn Wall, David Williamson, Patti Wood.
10th Grade: Todd Brannon, Sylaina Nappier, Kim Oakes, Niel Rasmussen, Sadler Sanders.

11th Grade: Tracy Tucker, Shawn Baker, Chuck Goodwin, Chris Haynes, Wayne Lackey, Mike Payne, Steve Stratton, Tracy Tucker, Kristie Turner.
12th Grade: Bobby Glass, Lisa Caldwell, Melisa Goodwin, Lacy Killough, Kelly Reece, Paula Wood.

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Countians make news in service

Debra Kober, daughter of David Devall of Wolcott, N.Y. and Lela Nobles of Alabaster, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the Air Force.

Kober is a command and control specialist at Griffiss Air Force Base, N.Y.

Marine Pfc. Gordon Hearn, son of Joe Hearn of Vincent, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, SC.

Hearn is a 1981 graduate of Glen Iris Baptist School, Birmingham, he joined the Marine Corps in Oct. 1983.

Marine Pvt. Barry Gilliland, son of Betty Gilliland of Helena, has completed recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, SC.

Gilliland is a 1984 graduate of Thompson High School. He joined the Marine Corps in August 1983.

Donald Taylor, son of Miriam Taylor of Calera, has been decorated with the U.S. Army Commendation Medal at Fort Bragg, N.C.

The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement to meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Army.

Taylor is a 1980 graduate of Calera High School.

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Pro lessons

Jay Johnson, trainer for the Double A Farm in Four Mile, shows 4-H Horse Club members Stan Mahan (left) and his daughter Dawn, the correct way to halter a horse. (Photo by John Jones)

Johnson

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He explains that he takes from 90 to 120 days to get a horse ready. "It's none of this slam, wham, bam stuff," he says.

If the owner will be riding the horse, Johnson also works with that person, showing them the signals the horse responds to.

"It's real important to me," he says, "that the rider knows which buttons to push."

However, he does not give riding lessons to the public since his time is limited with handling the 32 horses at Double A, as well as the entire farm operation.

The farm raises quarter horses — there are two stallions used for breeding — and Johnson says he has three show prospects already lined up for the 1985 season.

Although he and his family like living in the Wilsonville area, Johnson says he gets claustrophobia from all the trees.

"When I lived in Colorado," he grins, "you could get up in the morning — do a 180 degree turn — and see everything you owned. Nothing was hiding behind a tree."

With a sweeping gesture of his hand, Johnson says he's used to "wide open spaces — rolling hills and tumbleweed."

The trainer met and married his wife, Debbie, while he worked in Colorado — a second marriage for both.

She had two children — Dawn, now 11, and Randy, who's seven. And the couple now have a 20-month old son, Robert Carl — better known as R.C.

His career in the horse business has taken Johnson to lot of places, a lot of jobs which include Calumet Farms in Kentucky, and horse farms and ranches in Ohio, New Mexico, Colorado and finally Jasper, Alabama.

During the span of his career, Johnson has qualified six horses as World Champions. Two were winners.

But at one point, he came close to throwing in the reins and calling it quits.

He was working at the time with a horse inside a stall, when it went berserk "and flat tore me up." He recovered from the broken ribs and facial injuries, but figured that was enough horse training for one career.

Johnson took a job at a convenience store, but after a while discovered that he couldn't stay

away from the long, hard hours with the animals that he loved.

Then, with another draw of the straw, Johnson found himself in Wilsonville.

Summing up his attitude toward the job of horse training, Johnson says, "You'd better like it — you spend a lot of hours at it!"

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FRESH CALIFORNIA BROCCOLI OR
CAULIFLOUR EA. **99¢**

FLAVORFUL WESTERN
YELLOW ONIONS 3-LB. Bag **59¢**

U.S. NO. 1 RED
POTATOES 10-LB. Bag **\$1.49**

DELICATESSEN Specials

JUMBO PACK CRISPY FRIED CHICKEN 12 Pcs. Chicken, 10 Potato Logs, 6 Rolls. **\$7.50**
WHOLE BARBECUE 1-LB. **\$1.69**
HUNGRY MAN VEGETABLE PLATE DINNER 4 Vegetables, Roll **\$2.19**

HICKORY SMOKED MARKET SLICED BACON
99¢ 1-LB.

FRESH GRAINED QUARTER PORK LOINS
\$1.09 1-LB. (Sliced into chops)

PIGGLY WIGGLY BLACK EYE PEAS
1-LB. Bag (Limit 3 please) **3 FOR 89¢**

PIGGLY WIGGLY BLEACH
Gallon Bottle (Limit one please) **59¢**

ANDRE - Cold Duck and Pink or White
CHAMPAGNE 750 ML Bot. **\$2.99**

MINUTE MAID - Chilled
ORANGE JUICE 64-OZ. Carton **\$1.39**

PIGGLY WIGGLY - Frozen Limeade or LEMONADE 6-OZ. Can **2/69¢**

MORTON - Chicken, Turkey, Meatloaf, Salisbury
FROZEN DINNER 11-OZ. Pkg. **89¢**

JONNY CAT
CAT LITTER 10-LB. Bag **79¢**

HAPPY KIDS (Limit 2 please)
SWEET RELISH 22-OZ. Jar **88¢**

WISE BUY We bought it LOWER We sell it LOWER

SOLO 16-OZ. PLASTIC PARTY CUPS Pkg. of 20	89¢
HEFTY 9" WHITE FOAM PLATES Pkg. of 50	\$1.39
BRYAN POTTED MEAT 3-OZ. Can	4/\$1.00
GLAD - Sheer strength (30 Gal. Size) TRASH BAGS Pkg. of 10	99¢
ARM & HAMMER OVEN CLEANER 16-OZ. Can	\$1.19
HUNGRY JACK - Instant MASHED POTATOES 16-OZ. Box	99¢
CARNATION EVAPORATED MILK 12-OZ. Can	2/95¢
TOWIE STUFFED OLIVES 5-OZ. Jar	69¢
BUSH'S DELUXE PORK & BEANS 16-OZ. Can	3/\$1.00
PROGRESSO TOMATO SAUCE 8-OZ. Can	4/\$1.00
HELLMAN'S MAYONNAISE 8-OZ. Jar	2/88¢
LYSOL SPRAY DISINFECTANT 6-OZ. Can	\$1.29